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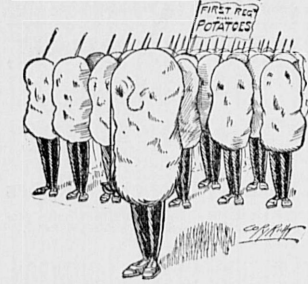


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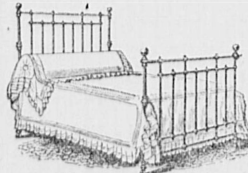
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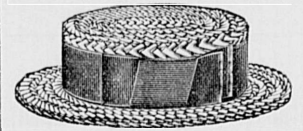
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—Pianos, Farley, 433 Washington St. If

—Shirt repairing, see Blackwell's adv. if

—Miss Annie Gilman has returned from

her European trip.

—Mrs. Sargent of Boston was in town

Sunday, calling on friends.

—The young son of Mr. Tucker of Church

street has returned from New York.

—Mrs. Holmes has returned to Dorches-

ter after visiting friends in this place.

—Mr. L. F. Chase, who has been visiting

friends here, has returned to Portland, Me.

—Mrs. Fearing of Brookline has been a

recent guest of Mrs. E. J. Whiton of Church

street.

—The offering next Sunday at Eliot

church will be for the American Mission-
ary Association.

—Mr. Chester B. Wood has been granted

a certificate by the state board of registra-
tion in pharmacy.

—Mr. George W. Hatch of Chicago has

been the guest this week of his parents, on

Waverley avenue.

—Dr. and Mrs. William H. Davis of Park

street have been in Atlanta, Ga., and other

southern points this week.

—Mr. M. H. Mullen has bought of W. A.

Alexander four dwelling houses on Water-
town hill and two in Adams place.

—Mr. and Mrs. Loiseux of New York

have been the guests this week of Mr. and

Mrs. E. W. Cobb of Hyde avenue.

—At the Channing Unitarian church next

Sunday the pulpit will be occupied by Rev.

Julian C. Jaynes of West Newton.

—Mr. Henry E. Cobb will be in charge of

the prayer meeting at Eliot church this

evening in the absence of the pastor.

—Mr. George Ewing of New York was in

town the first of the week, the guest of

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Barker of Park street.

—Rev. Samuel S. Eliot, secretary of the

American Unitarian Association, was the

preacher at the Channing church last Sun-
day morning.

—Dr. and Mrs. Henry M. Field and Mr.

Eliot Field have arrived from their home in

California, and are the guests of Mrs.

Peck of Arlington.

—The Appalachian Mountain Club have

been holding a week's outing at Stinson

Lake, N. H. A number of Newton mem-
bers have been with the party.

—Rev. E. H. Lovett of Sioux Falls, South

Dakota, was the preacher at the Unitarian

Baptist church last Sunday morning and

led the meeting in the evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Donovan, who

have been spending a few weeks with the

Misses Tucker of Church street, will re-
turn this week to New York.

—Miss Adah Campbell Hussey assisted

in the recital given by the faculty of the

Danforth School of Music in Association

hall, Boston, last Saturday evening.

—The Draper Gold Mining Company has

recently been incorporated in Maine.

Among the directors are Mr. Frank W.

McAleer and Mr. Edward P. Burham.

—Mrs. Katherine Lente Stevenson made

an address at the union service held in the

church in Rochester, N. H., last Sunday

evening.

—The Eliot church has voted to keep

open during the summer, and have exten-
ded an invitation to the Baptist and Metho-
dist churches to unite in the services during

the season.

—After 7:30 next Thursday night all the

unoccupied seats in Grace church will be

thrown open to those who have not been

able to secure tickets for the Oratorio of the

Redemption.

—Last Sunday marked the 50th anniver-

sary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. A. L.

Pierce of Park street. Owing to the ab-
sence of Mrs. Pierce only the immediate

family were present.

—At the home mission meeting held in

the vestry of the Baptist church, Wednes-
day afternoon, Miss Elmer Merrill gave an

interesting account of a recent trip

through "Chinatown."

—At Grace church after the first Sunday

in June plans for summer services go into

effect. The hours for beginning will be

the same as the services will be shorter.

Evening service at 10:45, evening service

at 7:30.

—The last meeting for the season of the

business men's class was held at Eliot

church, Sunday, Mr. Charles E. Eady

spoke on the subject, "Place of Recreation

in the Lives of Business Men," and a dis-
cussion followed.

—Rev. Edward L. Clark, D. D., of the

Central church, Boston, occupied the pulpit

at Eliot church last Sunday morning,

exchanging with the pastor, Dr. Davis.

Evening address was a Memorial Day

theme, "Under Orders."

—On Thursday evening, June 8, at Grace

church, the choir will repeat Gounod's

oratorio of the Redemption, under the di-
rection of Mr. E. A. Barrell, the choir

master. The soloists will be Master An-
drew B. Potter and Everett S. Glines, and

Messrs. C. N. Sladen and W. H. Hayes.

—The choral festival of the parish choir

in Boston each year attracts great crowds

of people. The choir of Grace church will

repeat the music of the festival at the ser-
vice here in Grace church next Sunday

night. It will include the choral Even Song
and various anthems. No tickets of ad-
mission are needed. All seats are free.

—Charles Ward Post, 65 G. A. R., at-
tended divine service at the Methodist

church in a body, Sunday morning, and

listened to a memorial day sermon by the

pastor, Rev. C. E. Holmes. The choir re-
ndered Kipling's "Recessional" and Call-
cott's, "He Maketh Wars to Cease." Miss

Mac Parks, cornet soloist, assisted in the
musical program.

—Martin Connors of Walnut street,
Wellesley, employed as driver for John

Dolan, was riding a bicycle on Wash-
ington street, near Church street, about

8:25 Saturday evening, when he struck a
fruit pedler's wagon marked "A
Kollas." Connors was thrown and sus-
tained a severe scalp wound and several

fractures. His left hand was badly lacerated.
He was attended by Dr. Gallagher, and
later taken to his home.

—The choir of Grace church will repeat

the music sung by them at the Diocesan

Choir Guild Festival at St. Paul's church,
Wednesday night, on Sunday evening.

Master Andrew B. Potter, the soprano

solo boy of Grace church, was honored by

being asked to sing the only soprano solo

in the Festival Book, which he did finely.

Master Potter is only twelve years old, but

his voice has developed a most pure and

lovely quality, and he sings with surprising

breadth. The "verse" or quartet of Grace

choir sang the quartet in the Nunc Dimittis

by Myles J. Foster, and in the Stanford

Te Deum. Mr. Barrell played the organ

for the festival. His selections were for

Prelude, Mendelssohn's sonata in C minor,
Offertory Larghetto by Mozart, and for

Postlude, the great G minor Fugue of

Bach.

—Mr. Eliot Field was in town Sunday,

the guest of friends.

—Mrs. E. M. Springer has returned from

Old Point Comfort, Va.

—Miss Parker has returned from a

week's visit at North Scituate.

—Mr. Hermon L. Robertson has gone to

California for an extended stay.

—At the Methodist church Children's

Sunday will be observed June 11.

—Mrs. Henry G. Lapham of Billings

park is out again after her recent illness.

—Mr. Wallace Moore of Colorado Springs

is expected home this week for an extend-
ed stay.

—The Epworth League meeting at the

Methodist church was in charge of Miss

Elie Earle.

—Mr. and Mrs. William H. Milnor of

Central street are in New York for a few

days' stay.

—The monthly meeting of the official

board was held at the Methodist church

Monday evening.

WOMAN'S BOARD OF MISSIONS.

THE SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING HELD WEDNESDAY AT AUBURNDALE.

The semi-annual meeting of the Woman's Board of Missions, which represents Congregational churches east of the Ohio River, was held at Auburndale, Wednesday, Mrs. Judson Smith presiding. After devotional exercises an address of welcome was delivered by Mrs. J. O. Means of Auburndale.

This was followed by an address by Miss A. B. Child, Home Secretary of the Board, on the "Present Conditions of the Work of the Board." The best description of the work in the field can be given in two words, unlimited opportunities. Massacre in Turkey and pestilence and famine in India, of a year or two ago, have opened a broad way into the homes of the people far beyond the power of the present force of missionaries to enter.

Events in the past few months have made necessary a new map of Africa, since Christian England has established its power through the whole valley of the Nile, from the great lakes down to the river Zambesi, and on to the Southern Cape, bearing directly on the conflict of Christianity with Islam. A new map of China with its "spheres of influence" of the great powers will show a boundless opportunity for Christianizing in the great empire. Progress has reached the women in these countries and girls' schools are becoming crowded to their utmost capacity, while admission is refused to hundreds of applicants. It is difficult to tell which department has been most successful or important the past winter: the education of tens of thousands of girls from the kindergarten to the college, or the village work done by native Christian women who penetrate to remote places teaching and reading the Bible to women in their own homes. The results of efforts in various departments is shown in a large aggregate increase in the number of churches and in church membership. So large has been this increase among men and women, that Dr. Barton, secretary of the American Board, has felt justified in saying that the church cannot continue to live except as she attempts the conversion of the world. The average increase the past year in mission churches was about ten per cent, while in the old, established churches, it was only about two per cent. Years ago the number of men in the churches far exceeded the women, but at present the proportion is nearly equal. Among the women of the home churches who have the responsibility, the winter has been one of earnest, steady work. Hundreds of meetings have been held to study the needs and the work in the different countries, and to plan for the supply of the means and the workers to carry it on. The receipts in the treasury for the seven months of the financial year have been \$74,832.30, a gain of \$1627.52 in contributions, and a loss of \$1627.52 in legacies, making a total gain of \$751.57. It is hoped and expected that the month of April of this year will be memorable for the inauguration of an aggressive movement in the board to commemorate the close of the century. The twelfth of the month was observed as a day of prayer, a thousand local societies as a day of prayer for guidance in the formation of plans. It is now proposed to make a special effort to enlarge the treasury, to arrange a course of systematic study of missions, which may result in a more intelligent appreciation of the work, to enlarge the membership of local societies and increase the attendance at meetings. For encouragement for a new movement, a resume was given of results already achieved in the American Board, of which we are an integral part, as they exist at the present time. The statistics are as follows: There are 101 mission stations and 1271 out stations, where regular work is done by 533 American missionaries, 351 of whom are women. They are assisted by 275 native laborers. In these fields there are 405 churches, 47,023 communicants and 144,205 adherents, 1270 schools of all grades, with 56,611 under instruction, besides a large library and medical work. Much so much accomplished, it is necessary only that the church should rise in her might to carry the work to a triumphant conclusion.

Mrs. Otis Cary of Kyoto, Japan, gave a "Glimpse of the Work and Workers in Japan." She said:

The work of the Woman's Board is limited only by the number of women it sends to such a country. The work done has covered all departments, and it is time to make extended visits to each individual station, but each is worthy of our interest and inspection. The Training School for Nurses at Kobe is a fine institution to send help to the wounded and suffering after the terrible earthquake in 1891. The nurses from this same place were asked by the government to take charge of the epidemic of cholera during the summer of 1897. During the war the care of one of the large hospitals for wounded and sick soldiers was given to our Christian nurses.

KINDERGARTEN WORK.

There is also the teaching of the little ones, and through them reaching the parents, and the training of teachers who are taking responsible places in all parts of Japan. The country has its own kindergartens, why introduce ours? They do have their kindergartens, but take from our Christian teaching and give us what they have, only the mechanical part which has little power to develop the child.

SCHOOL WORK.

Kobe College is the only school in which our women teach, which is directly under the care of the board, but all the schools where our teachers are sent out girls who are doing noble service as teachers, nurses, evangelists, interpreters, and even as eminent lawyers, pastors and doctors.

The Bible school in Kobe is training women who work as evangelists in the churches. The training work done by the representatives of the board is very encouraging. All these lines of work make great demands on the interest, sympathy, prayers and money in this country. Is it not a cause for rejoicing that the work is in such a condition that it makes great demands, that the calls are loud and imperative, that the God gives the opportunity to respond?

Mrs. O. R. Ireland of Africa, spoke of the Ireland Home for girls at Ammanzimote, of the girls who come there and of the difficulties they have to surmount in getting away from their homes to the school. She also told of the superstitions which they have to overcome, their appreciation of the home, and the influence which they exert in their own homes during vacation.

The missionaries encounter serious difficulties in keeping up the school, both for want of funds and lack of teachers; but God has been their helper hitherto, and their trust is still in him.

Mrs. J. H. DeForest of Sendai, Japan, gave an address on Missionary Children. She gave a description of their lives in foreign countries with their parents, showing the trials and disadvantages which come to them through their isolation and their lack of opportunities. She dwelt at some length on the greatest trial of all both to parents and children, which came from the necessary separation while the children are receiving their education in this country.

This was followed by an exercise by a number of children whose parents are missionaries in Turkey, Bulgaria, India, China and Japan. They were dressed in the costumes of the countries which they represented, and sang songs and recited portions of scripture in the different languages.

Five young ladies under appointment were introduced and spoke briefly. They

were Miss Helen Chandler for Madras, India; Dr. L. R. Griggs for Ammanzimote, India; Miss Mary E. Kinney for Adabazar, Turkey; Miss Cora F. Keith, for Kobe, Japan, and Miss Elizabeth Redfern for the American College for girls in Constantinople.

Objections to the Spelling Reform.

To the Editor of the Graphic:

I have said enough perhaps in favor of a reform in our spelling. The illustrations will come later on.

The first objection I shall consider is that it is departing from the spelling of the English classics. Who are the classical writers of English? Shall we say Chaucer, Spenser, Dryden, Pope, Shakespeare? Will this critic pretend that the spelling of today is like that of these writers? I will not quote Chaucer as he can scarcely be read without a glossary; Spenser wrote for debt, pleasure for pleasure, measure for measure, fether for feather, girdle for girde, and tung for tongue; Shakespeare wrote ayre for air, beleive for believe, civill for civil, cuppe for cup, diavell for devil, duckey for decoy, fische for fish, sunne for sun, trewe for true, and wiefe for wife. Our change from Spenser is abnormal, towards obscurity; that from Shakespeare is normal; towards simplicity, and this is on the whole, the trend now and as it has been. The language is indeed a mosaic. Its development has been under Scandinavian and Danish influences, and through the Angles and Saxons and the Norman French. It has in fact felt the influence of all the peoples with whom it has come in contact, and has absorbed words from all sources—a kaleidoscopic mosaic, reflecting, so to speak, the historical changes of the centuries.

A second criticism or objection is that it would utterly destroy the etymological character of the language. Prof. Max Muller has well said in answer to this: "Suppose it did; what then? Language is not made for scholars and etymologists; and if they were all swept away by the introduction of the spelling reform, I hope they would be the first to rejoice in sacrificing themselves to so good a cause. But the question is not whether the historical continuity of the language would be thus broken. Because the Italians write 'filosofo,' are they less aware than we, who write philosopher, that they have the Latin philosophus or Greek filosofos, before them? We write an f in fancy, why not in phantom; so in frenzy and frantic, why not in phenology? These words are respectively from the same root. We write too, vial for phial, and do not shiver at our sacrilegious rashness.

Again says Max Muller: "Will any one tell me at what date etymological spelling is to begin? If so, I am willing to accept the question. Shall it be at 1500 A. D., or 1000 A. D., or at 500 A. D.? Till then I beg to say that etymological spelling would play greater havoc in English than phonetic spelling, even if we are to draw a line not more than 500 years ago."

"Etymology is an amusing and instructive pursuit," says Professor Sweet, "but it is not a science. It is a collection of facts that any reason why it should be dragged into practical orthography? It is as absurd as because history is an improving study, one should have Hume or Macaulay chattered about his neck. It is the half taught dabbler in philology that are so strenuous in their claims for etymological spelling. They will argue for spelling islands, authors, delight, sovereign, and agast, when philology has proved that the s has no place in the first named, as the root-word is 'ealand' (A. S.) or 'eiland' (German) that author is from auctor (anceps) Latin; that delight is from delectus (Lat.); that sovereign is traced to superanus (Lat.) or to souverain (French); and that agast has no connection with ghost.

This etymological claim seems about as foolish as to invent against the words, 'cynosure,' as obscuring to the masses the true significance of the word, 'without wax,' as obscuring its meaning, 'without a bird,' or 'amazon signifying 'without a breast.'

Finally, Professor Skeat says: "It is really a gross misnomer to call that etymological spelling which merely imitates the spelling of dead languages, as to call that etymological spelling that to do with sounds not symbols; that it is phonetic, not alphabetic, and that if the old writers had not used a phonetic system, we should have no true data to go by."

Like all reforms, this reform in spelling has to go through its baptism of ridicule. A college professor, in a recent article, opposing this reform, attacked it with a wit, like the following: "Do you believe in help?" and "Litt Will had a munki." When this stage is reached in any reform, we know the cause is going bravely on. So long as 5,000,000 school children are robbed of 10,000,000 years of their time, so long as letters, silent in the pronunciation of words, involve an expenditure of \$7,000,000 in type setting, and useless letters an expenditure of \$10,000,000 in the English speaking people; so long as alarming illiteracy abounds, we may feel certain that the reform will progress and finally prevail. Make the English language phonetic, and it is sure in time to be, and it will become the universal language, for the absence of case forms and its varied yet simple constructions, will render it the easiest of all languages to read, write and speak.

CHANGES PROPOSED.

The Philological Societies of England and America propose eleven rules for simplified spelling.

Rule 1. Change final d to t when so pronounced: abashit, bedeckst, shipt, dipt, equipt, flashit.

Rule 2. Drop u in words having the preceding vowel short or a diphthong: catalog, dialog, monolog, pedagog, tung.

Rule 3. Drop final e from words in ite when the i is short: giv, liv, respit, oppsite, intinit.

Rule 4. Drop e from words like quartet, roset, gazet.

Rule 5. Drop final me in gram, program, orgram.

Rule 6. Drop e from words ending in ie if i is short: agil, fertit, servit, missit.

Rule 7. Drop final e in words ending in ine if i is short: chlorin, famin, masculin, feminin.

Rule 8. Drop e from words ending in ie when i is short: practis, promit, treatit.

Rule 9. Drop a from ea having short sound of a: aled, fether, behed, lern, defene, welth.

Rule 10. Drop final e from words ending in ve, if preceding vowel is short: ablativ, believ, captiv, dattiv, massiv, nerv.

Rule 11. Change ph to f when so sounded: atmosfe, geograthe, enfamis, pamlet.

These rules have been sanctioned and adopted by hundreds of educated men of all the professions. The Standard dictionary has adopted these spellings as alternatives, and this dictionary stands high among the scholars of the country. The Literary Digest has adopted these rules, and the saving of time and money will appeal to publishers of other magazines and books.

Meanwhile let educated people be brave, and adopt, as the members of philological societies have generally, the reformed spelling in their correspondence; let teachers advocate it, let our high schools and colleges encourage it; let editors of our newspapers boldly follow the suggestion of its eleven rules, and our false and vicious orthography will rapidly fall into disuse, and the language approach the ideal i. e., a purely phonetic language.

JAS. T. ALLEN.

Amv—"How did you come to marry your second husband?" Sallie—"My first one died."—Life.

NORUMBEGA PARK OPEN.

THIRD SEASON BEGINS AUSPICIOUSLY, WITH A RECORD OF 18,171 VISITORS IN THE INCLOSURE.

It was a great day at Norumbega Park Tuesday on the occasion of its opening for the third season. Manager Albertie said he had the day made to order. It certainly could not have been more auspicious had such been the case.

The early morning hours found the people swarming out there. By 1 o'clock in the afternoon people were standing on all street corners along the line of the Newton boulevard cars that connect with the Norumbega Park cars, waiting patiently for a car to come along that would provide even standing room. This was in spite of the fact that the Boston lines were running out 50 cars every 60 minutes. The jumbo cars running out to the park, however, were easily carrying everybody. As soon as one car was filled another was ready for passengers.

The turnstiles at the park showed that just 18,171 visitors went into the inclosure during the day. This beats last year's opening by several thousands. Everything was booming, and everybody happy and satisfied with the improvements and additions.

An object of great curiosity was the Indian village on a diminutive reservation near the electric fountain. There were braves, squaws and a cute pappoose, just three weeks old. This village's costume was voted a grand innovation. Of course, the Charles was alive with merry parties in canoes and boats. St. Augustine's band gave concerts from morning until night, and the afternoon and evening performances of the London vaudeville company in the enlarged rustic theatre, it is needless to say, were attended by all who could get in. The women's costume nearly 300 people who stood up on the outskirts.

When the theatre performances were not going on, the great point of interest was the zoological garden, with its additions of rare animals. Mrs. Puma, who had missed the puma (Mrs. Puma), which attracted such attention last season. This is explained by the fact that she gave birth Tuesday morning to a litter of three cubs, and she had to go into retirement for a few days. She will soon be seen with her fascinating family of baby pumas. Mr. Puma strutted about all day with the importance of a happy father.

The evening's special feature of the electric fountain, with its added mystifying illusion, proved a great success.

Would Not Suffer So Again For Fifty Times its Price.

I awoke last night with severe pains in my stomach. I never felt so badly in all my life. When I came down to work this morning I felt so weak I could hardly work. I went to Miller & McCurdy's drug store and they recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It worked like magic and one dose fixed me all right. It certainly is the finest thing I ever used for stomach trouble. I shall not be without it in my home, and for I should not care to endure the sufferings of last night again for fifty times its price. —G. H. Wilson, Livermore, Burgettstown, Washington Co., Pa. I shall not be without it in my home, and for I should not care to endure the sufferings of last night again for fifty times its price. —G. H. Wilson, Livermore, Burgettstown, Washington Co., Pa. I shall not be without it in my home, and for I should not care to endure the sufferings of last night again for fifty times its price. —G. H. Wilson, Livermore, Burgettstown, Washington Co., Pa.

Allen School Reunion.

The annual reunion of the West Newton English and Classical School Alumni Association was held last Friday afternoon and evening in the Allen school building, and was attended by over 200 representing each year sin 1854.

At 4 a business meeting was held in the school rooms, President Eugene F. Fay presiding. Reports of the officers were read and received, followed by an election of the following officers: Eugene F. Fay, Bookkeeper, president; Mrs. Florence H. King, West Newton, secretary; Edward C. Burrage, West Newton, treasurer; Eugene F. Fay, '54, E. C. Burrage '55, G. D. Davis '56, Mrs. Florence H. King '57, Mrs. Alice A. Gould '58, H. M. Nourse '59, Miss E. P. Thurston '60, Miss Marianne P. Smith '61, and Edwin B. Nielson '60, executive committee.

The board of vice-presidents is composed of eighty-four men and women representing each year of the school.

During the business meeting addresses were made by Nathaniel T. Allen, Mr. Joseph Allen of Medfield, Mr. James T. Allen, Miss Ann E. Newell of Boston, Mr. George H. Bishop of New Haven, Miss O. Frederica Dabney of Boston, Mr. Charles H. Bush of Providence, R. I., Miss Ellen A. Wayland of Newton, Mr. E. F. Partridge, Newtonville; B. Billings, Newton Upper Falls; J. H. Green, Newton Highlands.

At 6 o'clock supper was served and a dance and informal reception followed in Newton's hall.

One of the most entertaining features of the reunion was a spelling match conducted by Mr. James T. Allen, and which was enjoyed by nearly 100 of the older graduates.

A Card of Thanks.

I wish to say that I feel under lasting obligations for what Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has done for our family. We have used it in so many cases of coughs, lung troubles and whooping cough, and has been a great help in every case. We feel greatly indebted to the manufacturers of this remedy and wish them to please accept our hearty thanks. —Respectfully, Mrs. S. Dory, Des Moines, Iowa. I feel under lasting obligations for what Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has done for our family. We have used it in so many cases of coughs, lung troubles and whooping cough, and has been a great help in every case. We feel greatly indebted to the manufacturers of this remedy and wish them to please accept our hearty thanks. —Respectfully, Mrs. S. Dory, Des Moines, Iowa.

Co. C Reorganized.

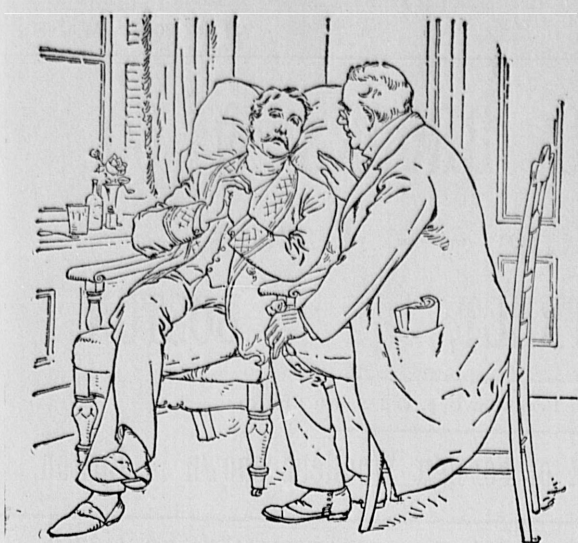
At a special meeting held Thursday evening of last week Co. C, 5th Infantry, M. V. M., reorganized with a full company of 55 privates and 3 officers. Prior to this meeting 40 members of the company, who were with the 5th at Greenville, South Carolina, had signified their intention of remaining on the company's muster roll. There were a number of new applicants at Thursday evening's meeting, which came before Maj. Foster for physical examination. Eighteen were chosen and a full company mustered in.

It is proposed to organize an association of volunteers of the Spanish-American war, with Capt. Springer of Co. C as president. The graves of deceased members were decorated on Memorial Day by a special committee.

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Canoe Season Opens.

Saturday evening had a double significance to canoeists, as it marked the beginning of the canoeing season on the Charles river and the formal opening of the Riverside recreation grounds at Riverside.

The favorable weather brought out a large number of enthusiasts, and the river was alive with canoes. Early in the afternoon many lovers of the sport appeared, and by evening there was every evidence that the season's opening had been successfully observed.

The new buildings on the Riverside recreation grounds, which front on the river bank, were the center of attraction. Scores of Chinese lanterns illuminated the exterior, while the dancing pavilion and dining rooms were brilliantly lighted by colored incandescent lights.

The new dancing pavilion proved a popular feature and was filled with young people. The recently added dining rooms were liberally patronized, and on the veranda of the largest building were seated many of the older people.

From 6 to 10:30 p.m., stationed on the piazza of the main building, furnished selections under the direction of Mr. John Floetson.

The clubhouse has been enlarged and now extends a distance of 34 feet along the river front. There have been new additions in the form of canoe berths, increased facilities in the swimming pool and bowling alleys and the extension of the tennis court and baseball ground.

A tract of 40 acres has been secured for golf links, and it is expected that the new course will soon be in use.

Concerts will be given on the recreation grounds Saturday evenings in July and August.

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Fitchburg's Summer Time Table.

The Fitchburg Railroad's summer schedule will take effect June 5th when several important changes will be made. The "Continental Limited" fast express will leave Boston at 11 a. m., arriving in Chicago the following afternoon at 3 o'clock, and at St. Louis the next day at 6:30 p. m.

Sleeping car service to both places, and parlor car will be attached to the train (week days only) arriving in Troy at 4:45 p. m. The express train leaving Boston at 9:30 a. m. will be continued as at present, arriving in Troy 3:15 p. m., through parlor car service to Binghampton, N. Y., via D. & H. C. Co.

Chicago, St. Louis Express, through sleeping car service to Chicago and St. Louis, will be continued on present time, but the Pacific Express, now leaving Boston at 7:30 a. m., will be continued as at present, arriving in Troy 3:15 p. m., through sleeping car service to Chicago, making same time to western points. The Green Mountain Flyer, parlor car service, will leave Boston at 11:30 a. m., instead of 11 a. m., making half an hour quicker time, and the Montreal Night Express, through sleeping car, will leave Boston at 8 instead of 7 p. m., present time.

On June 10th, the Saratoga train will leave Boston at 11 a. m., arriving in Saratoga at 5 p. m.

There are other important changes in the service, and Boston and Fitchburg service for which see local time tables.

Last fall I sprained my left hip while handling some heavy boxes. The doctor I called on said at first it was a slight strain and would soon be well, but it grew worse and the doctor then said I had rheumatism. It continued to grow worse and I could hardly get around to work. I went to a drug store and the druggist recommended me to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I tried it and one-half of a 50 cent bottle cured me entirely. I now recommend it to all my friends. —F. A. Hancock, Erie, Pa. It is for sale by A. Hudson, Newton; E. F. Partridge, Newtonville; B. Billings, Newton Upper Falls; J. H. Green, Newton Highlands.

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

Pursuant to a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Margaret McCarthy to Philip W. Emery dated the twentieth day of October A. D. 1897 and recorded with Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds book 205 page 84, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing the said mortgage, I will sell at public Auction upon the premises on tenth day of June A. D. 1899 at 4 o'clock P. M. all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely a certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated, in the city of Newton, Mass., and being the western part of lot numbered thirty seven (37) upon a plan of lots belonging to Henry Brock Jr in Newton Mass. September 1860, which plan is recorded with Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds plan book 16 plan 55 and bounded and described as follows, to wit:—Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Beach Street distant easterly one hundred and twenty one and seven tenths (121 7/10) feet from Nevada Street, and westerly two hundred and forty (240) feet from Crescent Street, thence running in an easterly direction bounded by said Beach Street forty (40) feet; thence turning at a right angle and running southerly bounded by the easterly portion of said lot numbered thirty seven (37) one hundred and twenty (120) feet; thence turning at a right angle and running westerly bounded by lot numbered twenty six (26) on said plan forty (40) feet; thence turning at a right angle and running northerly bounded by lot numbered twenty five (25) on said plan one hundred and twenty (120) feet to the point of beginning, containing forty eight hundred (4800) square feet more or less and being a portion of the premises conveyed to said Margaret McCarthy by deed of Henry Brock Jr in Newton Mass. September 1860, subject to any and all unpaid taxes and assessments. The real estate will be sold subject to any and all mortgages and liens thereon. \$150 to be paid at the time of the sale. FREDERICK W. EMERY Mortgagee

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THE LEGISLATURE.

(Special Legislative Correspondence.)

Beacon Hill, May 31.

Unless the Governor continues to veto debateable measures, there seems no reason why we should not see the prorogation exercises this week. The senate met today, to be sure, with a long calendar, but it was largely made up of house bills, and as almost always is the case, the upper branch has been the busy body of late, while the house waited. This is the inevitable result of having so many important bills reported in the lower branch. When a year comes when there is an unyielding application of the rule that matters shall be divided between the branches with reference to the condition of business, this sort of a situation will no longer occur.

The committee on ways and means has reported the state tax, which is the same as last year, \$1,500,000, with Newton's proportion \$29,775. This is supposed to be one of the final ceremonies, and indicates that the matters which call for the expenditure of the state's money are all reported and passed. The estimated expenses of the current year by the auditor's report were \$9,559,965.97. The expenses authorized by the present legislature, including interest on the public debt, are \$10,137,252.59. The ordinary expenses of the legislature, executive and other departments are \$555,066.19; of the commissions, \$467,563.34; agriculture, \$283,200; education, \$350,209; military department, \$318,700; judiciary, \$376,250; state house, library, current expenses, Commonwealth building, and printing, \$268,000; war expenses, \$814,200; largely for military aid and state aid; charitable institutions, \$841,440; state board of charity, \$78,400; miscellaneous charitable, \$701,910; board of insanity, \$34,800; reformatory, \$173,600; public buildings, \$417,885.98; sinking and other funds, \$568,597.19; to be provided for by taxation, (interest, etc.) \$3,136,133.19; miscellaneous, (Charles river sewerage maintenance, \$47,376; north metropolitan sewer, \$94,500, etc.) \$579,064.70; special acts and resolutions, \$290,403. The estimated revenue is \$8,319,953.85, and the deficit \$1,817,298.74, but this is cut down by receipts through certain acts of the legislature to \$1,482,298.74.

The legislature adjourned over from Saturday until this morning, and the Governor amused himself on Monday writing vetoes. He wrote one of the bill exempting trades unions from the insurance, particularly fraternal beneficiary laws, which has caused a great commotion, as the result of it will be to prevent these bodies giving aid to men out of work. The fund from which this class of aid came is popularly known as the "strike fund." The chances of passing this over the veto are slim, but are better than that of the bill to give preference in appointments to the veterans of the Spanish war, though that was a very popular measure as it passed along. The senate vote was much less in proportion than that of the house on the veterans exemption bill, and as the veto is returned to the upper branch, it is doubtful if the house sees the bill at all. The other veto was deposited with the clerk of the house. Today a veto of the Boston board of appointment repeal bill is confidently expected, though it may be delayed until tomorrow. The latter measure will make political capital enough for the governor, and between Quincy and Lonsomey, and the repeal of the law would be a victory of the Ward Eight leader over Quincy. There are two reasons why the veto should come; one that the Republican government has no particular reason for signing bills which are designed to make capital for the insurance Democrats, and the other that in his inaugural address he stated that it was time for the legislature to permit some of these experiments in legislation to be given a trial before making further changes. It is argued that the repeal of the act is inevitable next year and that nothing will be gained by holding the matter over, but still the feeling is very strong that the bill will be vetoed.

As His Excellency has now screwed his courage to meet these questions the wonder increases that he had not done so earlier, and vetoed the Tremont street tracks bill, the Stony Brook bill and the board of pharmacy bill, as he was expected to do; but the ways of governors are past finding out, sometimes.

The high level sewer bill has been enacted in both houses and is now in the hands of the governor, who will sign it without any doubt. The efforts of the Newton representatives in this matter should be fully appreciated by their constituents, for there was a time when it looked a little squally for the bill.

A determined effort was made by several people of influence to get the governor to veto the bill providing for a court officer for the Middlesex Probate Court, and of course it was a small matter on which His Excellency might have raised an issue, and he signed it. It is now assumed that the sheriff will appoint one of his deputies to the position, and then Representative Davis of Cambridge will be given the vacant position. Mr. Davis would doubtless like the place of court officer, but under the constitution he cannot be appointed to a place created by the body in which he served, but the bill creates a place for him, nevertheless. It seems that Judge MacIntire was very much opposed to the bill, and that is doubtless the reason that Senator Harwood opposed it, but as the judge was supposed to be in favor of a court officer of his own appointment a year or two ago, the occurrence does not appear to be one on which many vain regrets need to be wasted, particularly as Mr. Davis is a very good sort of a man.

Senator Harwood was paired in favor of rejecting the Carney Hospital resolve when it was considered the other day, the committee on ways and means having reported against it. The rejection was negative, however, so that his vote counted for little. On the broad ground that the state ought not to be supporting private institutions, the senator appears to be right, but of course the argument which tells with some people is that if a private institution does charitable work on the same lines as a state institution, the state is so much the gainer, and ought to help it.

Senator Harwood voted against the enactment of the bill to exempt Spanish war veterans from the civil service, so that he ought to be feeling very well over the veto.

The senator took a very active part in the discussions over the bill in relation to the distribution of the estates of deceased persons, which has passed both branches. He has given very close study to it, and believes that it really makes the position of the husband and wife equal. He was "absent or not voting" at one reading of the bill for the protection of nurseries, and did not get into the fight on the day when there were five roll calls upon the same measure until part of the vote had been taken. Then he came in and voted in favor, but the measure was finally killed by a tie, the president voting no. He voted for the bill to dredge Cohasset Harbor, which seems to some people a very unusual measure, but it had strong friends, and doubtless his sympathy was won by his confidence in Senator Bouve, who has been remarkably successful in getting bills through this year.

Messrs. Langford and Chadwick had the pleasure of seeing the Nantasket beach bill go through the house, and they expect to see it win in the senate also. MANN.

COMMONWEALTH GOLF CLUB.

ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTION—RESULTS OF SATURDAY'S CONTESTS.

At the annual meeting of the Commonwealth Golf Club last Saturday, the following officers were elected: President, Dana Estes; vice pres., Frederick W. Clarke; sec'y., L. Cones Page; treas., Frank Gair Macomber; directors, Frederick W. Clarke, Dr. J. H. Woods, John C. Baird, Dana Estes, Edgar O. Aehorn, Arthur P. Almy, David W. Noyes, J. M. Hornblower.

The president has appointed as chairman of the various committees the following: Tournament committee, George Alfred Page; greens committee, Arthur G. Lockwood; house committee, Mrs. William P. Shreve; membership committee, Francis H. Little; captain of the green, Arthur G. Lockwood. Other members of the committees are to be announced later.

The competitions Saturday, were confined to driving and putting. The ladies' driving, longest and straightest ball, was won by Miss H. Fay, with 150 yds. 1 ft. 6 in., closely followed by Miss Merrill, with 150 yds. 1 ft. 6 in. The gentlemen's driving, similar conditions, was won by A. G. Lockwood, who drove each of his last two shots exactly 207 yds. 1 ft. 6 in., Mr. Almy being second with 190 yds.

In the putting competition, six balls played from different positions on the green, the total number of strokes being counted, was won by Miss Merrill, with 15 strokes, the Misses Fay tying for second place with 16 strokes each. Mr. Muliken won the gentlemen's competition with the excellent score of 12.

Subjoined is the list of events and the principal scores: Ladies' driving—Miss H. Fay, 150 yds. 1 ft. 6 in.; Miss Merrill, 150 yds.; Mrs. Rich, 146 yds.; Miss Shreve, 101 yds.; Miss C. H. Fay, 60 yds.

Gentlemen's driving—A. G. Lockwood, 207 yds. 1 ft. 6 in.; A. P. Almy, 190 yds.; Mr. Huzuley, 188 yds.; J. N. Manning, 177 yds.; Mr. Muliken, 173 yds.; Mr. Gooding, 172 yds.; Mr. Macdonald, 171 yds.; Mr. Hornblower, 150 yds.; G. A. Page, 145 yds.; F. R. Estes, 90 yds.; F. H. Little, 85 yds.; Mr. Munroe, 70 yds.

Ladies' putting—Miss Merrill, 15; Miss H. Fay, 16; Miss C. H. Fay, 16; Miss Wilbur, 17; Mrs. Rich, 19; Miss Shreve, 20.

Gentlemen's putting—Mr. Muliken, 12; Mr. Almy, 14; Mr. Lockwood, 14; J. N. Manning, 14; T. Gooding, 14; Mr. Huzuley, 15; Mr. Hornblower, 16; Mr. Little, 16; F. R. Estes, 17; R. Manning, 17; Mr. Munroe, 17; Mr. Macdonald, 18; G. A. Page, 18; L. C. Page, 19.

D. R.

In the old cemetery on Centre street, the members of Sarah Hull Chapter, D. R., on the morning of Memorial Day paid their tribute of respect and affection to the memory of General and Madam Hull. The regent, Mrs. Alexander M. Ferris, as she placed garlands upon their graves, said that the events of the past year had given fresh themes for song and story, and today there were being decorated hundreds of new graves which the war had scattered throughout the length and breadth of the land.

Mr. Samuel Powers gave an interesting sketch of General Hull's life, particularly his military career. Enlisting in the army at the beginning of the Revolutionary war, when a young man of only twenty-two, General Hull served as soldier and officer till the close of the war. He enjoyed the confidence of General Washington and left a brilliant record. Mr. Powers presented the chapter, through its regent, with a copy of a book written by General Hull and published in 1824, and bearing upon its fly leaf the handwriting of the author.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Spear, General memorial services were concluded by the singing of "America."

The Unitarian Dogma.

At the opening of the meeting of the Boston Unitarian Association, in his address President Carroll D. Wright took occasion to reply to the assertion that religion was on the decline. He dwelt on the harm done to religion by the bigotry and intolerance of the past.

Let Unitarians, he said, by organization, by unity of purpose, by well ordered discipline, by a courageous exposition of their beliefs, by a religious application of them in practical life, prove to the world that religion was not on the decline, and make our organization and our beliefs a protest against the assertion that religion was on the decline. We must, said the speaker, recognize, preach and practice the great command of the great master, which is another's burdens. "This is the essence of religion; in it and under it there can be no blasphemy, no heresy; and thus Christ's command is gradually displacing theological dogma, and taking possession of the hearts of men. (Applause.)

Golf at Newton Centre.

The Newton Centre Golf Club links were in use all day Tuesday. In the morning a putting match brought out 12 contestants. D. A. Harrington topped the list with 12 balls in 24 strokes.

A handicap club tournament was the feature of the afternoon.

Players.	Gross	Handicap	Net
E. H. Kidder.....	96	12	84
C. W. Boyce.....	80	4	76
E. M. Noyes.....	90	0	90
E. L. Allen.....	95	4	91
W. B. Boyce.....	96	4	92
G. E. Gilbert.....	116	24	92
T. Gilbert.....	102	7	95
E. A. Wilkie.....	111	9	102
F. H. Hovey.....	104	5	99
D. T. Kidder.....	106	7	99

Wellington Wins Dewey Cup.

The Dewey cup membership tournament of the Newton golf club closed last Saturday afternoon, and was won by Mr. A. J. Wellington. The final round was played on the Centre street links and witnessed by a large number of enthusiasts. The cup was offered by Mr. Daniel Dewey of Newton. The score:

Player.	Gross	H'd'p	Net
A. J. Wellington.....	95	0	95
W. B. Merrill.....	99	0	99
F. Dewey.....	107	0	107
O. B. Prescott.....	107	7	100
A. H. Gilbert.....	110	4	106
E. A. Wilkie.....	111	0	111
F. Prescott.....	120	9	111
Margaret Cobb.....	153	35	118

Braeburn 28; Winchester 1.

In a team match on the Braeburn links, West Newton, Wednesday afternoon, the home team defeated Winchester, 28 to 1. The best scores were those of H. C. Perkins 91, W. B. Merrill 93, George Wright 95 and E. F. Woods 95. The scores:

Braeburn.	Winchester.
H. C. Perkins.....	0 W. E. Griffiths.....
E. F. Woods.....	8 J. Garrett.....
G. Wright.....	9 Rev. J. P. Hawkes.....
W. B. Merrill.....	6 F. A. Russell.....
G. A. Frost.....	2 A. Dorsey.....
F. H. Hovey.....	3 W. D. Saborin.....
Total.....	28 Total.....
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IN DAYS OF MOB LAW.

THE STIRRING TIMES THAT SAN FRANCISCO SAW IN 1856

The Vigilance Committee "at Beacon Famous For Its Many Desperate Deeds, but Which Ridd the Town of the Criminal Class."

It was in 1856, in San Francisco, and law was chaos, mob law was supreme. The judges were finally given warning that unless they enforced the laws they would be summarily dealt with—that is, they would be taken out and hanged to the nearest tree. It was a stirring time. The vigilance committee of San Francisco in this year was famous for its desperate deeds, but after its self assumed reign was over the morals of San Francisco increased amazingly. It was almost a paradise on earth. Drunkards, cutthroats, scoundrels and others of this ilk gave the place wide room. They knew that if they were caught they would be hanged. Andrew J. Kellogg of Detroit told of these days:

"The California of 1856 was a terrible place," began Mr. Kellogg, at ease with his pipe. "You see, it was like this. The men who rushed to the goldfields in the early days never expected to remain in the western country. Their purpose was to make their pile and get out. They came to California, scrambled for gold and paid no attention to law and order. It was a paradise for gamblers, thieves and cutthroats. The worst element, it seems, came to Frisco, where they were soon in possession of the city government and ordered millions and millions of dollars worth of improvements that were never made. But the contracts were let, in order to give bootleggers a chance. Vice flourished like a green bay tree. It was a lawless, violent land, where life wasn't worth a pinch of snuff."

"The first few weeks I was there things like this happened. The United States marshal was shot in cold blood by a gambler, the gambler's paramour put up \$10,000 to defend him, and the lawyer was promised \$10,000 more if he got his prisoner off."

"He had had one trial, but the jury disagreed, and in the meantime we took him out and hung him."

"This was the state of California justice."

"Why, men convicted of murder, arson and other foul crimes would be hauled up before the judge, who after listening to the damning testimony would say:

"The sentence of this court is that you pay \$5 fine."

"On other occasions, when a murderer was brought into court, a judge would say:

"There is no need of hearing the witnesses in this case. The prisoner is discharged."

"And the ballot box stuffing? We sent one of the boxes to the Smithsonian institute after the fuss was all over and had it labeled. This is a specimen of California ballot box stuffing."

"There was a trick the ballot box stuffers used to employ to keep the gang in office. You know, in those days tailors and servants used to have a small pot filled with charcoal, used to heat flatirons. I noticed that in every election booth in certain precincts there was always one of these little heaters. The ballot boxes were supposed to be of inch pine, rough pine boxes with a little heading around the edge. The top was of inch stuff all right enough, but the bottom was hollow, of eight inch stuff. In this false bottom were placed enough votes to win the day for the gang's candidate. When the polls were closed, the little fire pot was brought into use and the unfavorable votes destroyed. The ballot box stuffers said that they had the fire there because the room was cold."

"It was such acts of lawlessness as these that led to the formation of the famous California committee of vigilance. It consisted of over 6,000 of the most highly respected people in the community, whose sentiments of justice had been outraged by the long continued acts of injustice and crime permitted by the regular judges."

"The first intimation I had of the formation of the committee was when a friend said to me one morning:

"Want to see some fun?"

"Yes."

"Then come down to the jail."

"On arriving I was astonished to find a double row of men drawn around the whole square. An assault was about to be made on the jail by outraged citizens. They were calling on the jailer even then to open the doors. In the terrible quiet before the storm broke I could hear the leader say:

"Open the doors!"

"There was a deathlike silence."

"Open the doors!" the ringleader cried again, "or we will batter them down."

"With that he raised his handkerchief as a signal."

"When this handkerchief falls," he added in a voice like thunder, "I'll give orders to fire the cannon. She's loaded with solid shot."

"There was a cannon before the door."

"The man with the blazing torch stood near by."

"You should have seen the hand slowly fall! It was the most thrilling sight. Slowly the hand fluttered, and at the very last moment the jail doors were flung open, and the populace entered to drag out the prisoners."

"At first the jailer refused to give some of them up."

"The two that we took out of the jail were given a fair trial before the committee of 33, the executive committee, which heard all the evidence as given. It required a unanimous vote on their part to hang a man as well as a two-third majority of the committee of delegates, numbering 250 members."

"That night San Francisco was in a fever of excitement. What would happen next? Where would the revenge of the populace be shown tomorrow?"

"Every one stayed indoors that night as far as possible."

"A few days later the judges were warned. They were told to try cases properly or suffer the penalty—by giving up their lives."

"Twenty irresponsible members of the community, ringleaders in ballot box stuffing and murder, were taken to the wharf, put on outgoing steamers and told never to come back again on pain of immediate death."

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NEWTONVILLE.

—Mrs. Hall has moved from Clyde to Walnut street.

—A sewer has been put through Kinball terrace from Elm street to Elm road.

—Mr. E. A. Locke is reported as seriously ill at his home on Newtonville avenue.

—Mr. Hale will analyze the Moonlight Sonata at the studio, Wednesday, June 7, at 4.15.

—One of the familiar figures in the parade Memorial day was Mr. Joseph Cashman.

—Rev. Mr. Dunham of Wakefield occupied the pulpit at the Universalist church last Sunday.

—Rev. A. E. Dunning, D. D., occupied the pulpit at the Congregational church last Sunday.

—Mr. William C. Gaudet and family have moved from the Byers house, Washington street to Wiswell street.

—Rev. and Mrs. Loring, formerly of Cambridge, have moved into their new home on Trowbridge avenue.

—Mr. Paul Tyner and family, formerly of Boston, have moved into their new house on Mt. Vernon terrace.

—Mr. W. O. Tuttle of Harvard street has returned from New Hampshire, where he enjoyed several weeks successful fishing.

—Mr. Alfred C. Frost of Dublin, N. H., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Patterson at their home on Newtonville avenue.

—The regular meeting of the Newtonville Baptist Division will be at Miss S. B. Upham's, 14 Churchhill avenue, Wednesday, June 7th, at 2 p. m.

—"Established in Heart," was the subject at the Y. P. S. C. E. meeting, Sunday evening, at the M. E. church. The leader was Mrs. Robinson.

—Mrs. John W. Dickinson and son left Wednesday for New York. They sail tomorrow for Europe, where they expect to remain about a year.

—Mr. H. A. Patterson of Newtonville avenue has returned from Dublin, N. H., where he built a fine house and stable for Mr. McPhee of St. Louis.

—A bicycle belonging to James Fitzgerald of Brookline was stolen from the sidewalk in front of Dr. Hunt's residence about 10.30 Sunday night.

—Rev. A. E. Dunning, D. D., of Boston, will preach at the Central Congregational church, next Sabbath morning at 10.45. All are cordially invited.

—A prayer and social meeting will be held this evening in the Congregational chapel. The topic will be, "Patriotism an Element of Religion."

—Deacon H. R. Gibbs was the leader at the Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at the Congregational church Sunday evening. The subject was "How to Meet Difficulties."

—Dr. George H. Talbot and family of Walnut street were among the passengers on the steamer New England, which sailed from Boston, Wednesday. They expect to return about Sept. 1st.

—A special meeting of Dalhousie Lodge will be held next Wednesday evening. The third degree will be worked on several candidates. A collation will be served at the close of the business exercises.

—A dinner and bowling party was given Thursday evening at the Newton Club, by Mr. and Mrs. Stowe of Danvers, in honor of the engagement of their daughter, Miss Emma C. to Mr. Philip Pretto of this place.

—There are letters remaining in the postoffice for Harry Arthur, Frank G. Bombard, C. S. Ellis, box 157, W. J. Morrison, John C. Swasey, Mrs. James Fortune, 44 Clarendon avenue, Mrs. Ella Gayley, 633 Watertown street, and Miss Lucy Thompson, 15 Trowbridge avenue.

—The funeral of Robert Foster West took place Monday afternoon from his home at the corner of Harvard street and Newtonville avenue. Mr. Foster was 38 years old and a member of the Newtonville Club. Rev. Dr. Clark of Boston officiated and the interment was in Mt. Hope cemetery.

—About 7, Wednesday evening while two unknown ladies were driving through the square, their horse became unmanageable, and ran away. The animal dashed through Walnut street to Watertown street, where it was stopped near Bridge street, by John Garrity. In his efforts to control the horse, Garrity was dragged several hundred yards.

—Miss Battie Calley entertained the members of her Sunday school class with other friends, Monday evening, at her home on Austin street. What was enjoyed. The prizes were awarded as follows: First, Miss Bessie Hartshorne and Mr. H. D. Cabot; second, Miss Mabel Curtis and Mr. Harry Hyde. Refreshments were served and a pleasant time was enjoyed.

—A meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society was held in the parlor of the M. E. church, Thursday afternoon. A business meeting was held at 4 o'clock. Important business was transacted. Supper was served at six o'clock by the Christian Endeavor Society. The last social of the season was held in the evening. A pleasing program was rendered, and an enjoyable evening was passed.

—Miss Beatrice Foster entertained a number of her young friends, Saturday afternoon from 4 to 7, at the home of her parents on Cabot street. The occasion was her ninth birthday. She was the recipient of numerous pretty gifts in memory of the day. The company enjoyed games, music and dancing. Refreshments were served and the party broke up with wishes of many happy returns of the day.

—A successful May Festival was held, Saturday afternoon and evening, in the parlors of the Universalist church, under the auspices of the Sunday school. One of the unique features of the entertainment was a doll drill given by the following little Misses: Ruth Cunningham, Rena Doane, Vira Brown, Venera Curtis, Helen Cunningham and Evelyn Cunningham. A farcical play, "That Rascal Pat," given by the young gentlemen, won merited applause. Refreshments were served, and a thoroughly good time was enjoyed.

—The funeral of Mr. Robert Foster West took place at the residence of his parents, Highland avenue, Monday afternoon. Many friends of the deceased gathered to pay the last tribute to one who had held a high place in their affection and esteem. Popular in business and social circles, and possessing genial manners and many characteristics, he made his way into general favor. In the busy battle of the world he was energetic and enterprising, and achieved a large measure of success. Mr. West was born in Charlestown, August 17, 1861. He was graduated from the Newton high school in the class of '78. At the beginning of his business career, he entered the banking house of Lee, Higginson & Co., where he remained five years. He married Miss Maud Raymond Nias, daughter of Mrs. Mary G. Nias of Wellesley College, Dec. 16, 1886. She survives him, and a child, born only eight months ago. The services at the house were conducted by Rev. Dr. E. L. Clark of Boston. Many floral pieces were sent by relatives and friends. The Dalhousie quartet rendered several selections, including "Lead Kindly Light," and "Shall We Meet Beyond the River." The interment was made in the family lot at Mt. Hope cemetery. Rev. Robert Loring of this place officiated at the services at the grave. The pall-bearers were Messrs. John A. Potter, Alfred Vose,

A. Fred Brown, William Lawrie, Lane B. Schofield, and Arthur Crane.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cotting left this week for Revere Heights, where they will pass the summer season.

—Mr. J. H. Thomas died Thursday of last week, after a few days' illness, at his home on Frederick street. The body was taken to Nova Scotia, Saturday for interment.

—Special services were held for the boy's brigade at the M. E. church Sunday evening. Music was rendered by the quartette and the soprano solo, "Not Lost but Gone Before."

WEST NEWTON.

—Rev. W. M. Lisle will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday.

—Rev. George H. Cate occupied the pulpit at the Baptist church last Sunday.

—Patrolmen O'Halloran, Dugan and Bates left this week for their annual vacations.

—Mr. Charles H. Stacy has been ill for several days at his home on Henshaw street.

—Miss Abbie Nettleton, who was the guest of friends here, has returned to her home at Hyannis.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Whittlesey are enjoying the warm season at their summer home at Seabrook, Conn.

—John Elliot Lodge, A. O. U. W., will hold its regular meeting, Wednesday evening in Odd Fellows hall.

—Mrs. Richard Rowe of Shaw street was elected one of the vice presidents of the Union Maternal Association.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Churchill of St. Louis are the guests of friends here prior to passing the summer at Hull.

—The engagement is announced of Miss Julian B. Henderson to Dr. Benjamin Burr Sison of Montpelier, Vermont.

—Mrs. Jordan of Chicago is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Pratt, at their home on Highland street.

—The Newton Ladies Home Circle held the last meeting of the season Wednesday afternoon in the Unitarian church parlors.

—Prof. Cooke of Hull street, Boston, will speak for the W. C. T. U. in the Baptist vestry Tuesday, June 6, at 3 p. m. All are cordially invited.

—A bevy of young ladies of the junior class of the Boston Normal school of gymnastics, enjoyed a trip through the Newton woods and vicinity.

—A meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the Baptist vestry, Tuesday afternoon. A special address will be made and a large attendance is desired.

—The special committee appointed by the Baptist church to secure a pastor have reported in favor of issuing a call to the Rev. E. F. Snell of Hampton Falls, N. H.

—About thirty members of the Educational Club will attend the seventh annual meeting of the State Federation of Women's Clubs at Natick, next Tuesday.

—The lots on the Travell estate which were recently placed in the market have found ready purchasers. Several handsome residences will be erected this year.

—Rev. Julian C. Janyne has received a call as assistant pastor with Rev. Edward Everett Hale. His parishioners sincerely hope he will decide to decline the call.

—Mr. W. H. French attended the banquet given by the Master Plumbers Association at the Crawford House, Thursday evening. Mr. French is a member of the executive committee.

—At the annual meeting of the American Congregational association Monday afternoon at Pilgrim hall, Boston, Mr. C. M. Whittlesey was re-elected one of the vice presidents.

—A business meeting will be held at the Baptist church this evening, to act on the decision of the committee in reference to extending a call to Rev. Mr. Snell of Hampton Falls, N. H.

—A prayer meeting will be held this evening at the Congregational chapel. The subject will be, "The faith that overcometh the world." "Does faith really help any?" "Does our faith?"

—Flower Sunday will be observed at the Unitarian church, June 11th. There will be special services for the children with offerings of flowers. A christening service will close the exercises.

—At the annual meeting of the New England Suffrage Association at Copsey hall, Wednesday evening, one large table was filled with representative Newton people. About 500 guests were present, and Mrs. Julia Ward Howe presided.

—During the afternoon exercises of Memorial day Chief Tarbox detailed patrolmen in citizens' dress to mingle with crowds attending the parade, and be on the lookout for pickpockets. No cases of missing purses were reported, and the chief is well satisfied with the work of his men.

—A mother's meeting was held Saturday afternoon at the Baptist vestry, under the auspices of Mrs. H. K. Harrison. A paper on "Child Culture" was presented by Mrs. Leland. A short talk was made by Mrs. Kimball. Refreshments were served, and several musical selections were rendered.

—The Sunday school of the Baptist church will hold its 33d anniversary on next Sunday evening, June 4, at 5.30 P. M. A very interesting program has been prepared. Rev. Walter Calley, D. D., of Boston, a bright and rousing speaker, will deliver an address. The public are cordially invited.

—The Newton Ladies Home Circle will have its annual outing Tuesday, June 20th if pleasant. Should the day be stormy, circle voted to hold it the following Thursday the 22nd. They will meet at the corner of Hanover and Court streets, Boston, at 9.30 a. m., and will enjoy the day at Marblehead.

—While John Callahan, 19 years, of Lucas court, was riding a bicycle on Washington street, near Parsons street, Wednesday evening, he lost control of the wheel and was thrown. He received several severe bruises, and it is feared he has sustained concussion of the brain. He was unconscious when picked up, and remained so for several hours after being removed to the Newton hospital.

—Mr. Warren F. Gregory of Highland street delivered the Memorial Day address for the Justus P. Pennington Post 42, G. A. R. of Plymouth, N. H., subject, "The American Soldier, His place in history and our Debt to Him." Mr. and Mrs. Gregory were entertained by Dr. A. H. Campbell, principal of the New Hampshire State Normal school, a former instructor of Mr. Gregory at Cushing Academy, Ashburnham.

—Services commemorating the eightieth anniversary of the Sunday school were held Sunday afternoon at the Congregational church. The opening prayer was offered by Rev. George H. Cate. Interesting exercises were given by the primary class followed by Bible exercise by the school. A short history of the school was given by Mr. E. A. Marsh. Addresses were made by the superintendent, Mr. C. A. Sanders and by the pastor, Rev. P. P. Prudden, D. D. The exercises closed with the singing of the benediction.

—On Memorial Day there is thought for none but the veterans. Their right to public honor is unquestioned, and justly are they deserving of the nation's gratitude and praise. The afternoon parade is with the doubt the least feature of Memorial Day, and is always looked upon with the

greatest interest. In Tuesday's procession were two veterans, one with a noble war record, and the other with a reputation for integrity and faithfulness. They were Lieut. John Ryan and Patrolman Robert Harrison, both of the police department. Lieut. Ryan has marched in Newton's Memorial Day parade for 23 consecutive years. Though he is a member of Charles Ward Post 62, G. A. R., he has been on duty as a member of the leading platoon of police each year, with the exception of '97, '98, and '99. On these occasions he has served under the chief marshal. On Tuesday he acted as adjutant general and was largely responsible for the successful manner in which the parade was managed. Patrolman Harrison, although not a war veteran, is one of the oldest members of the police department in point of service. Tuesday was "Bob's" 22d year in line, and his friends say the platoon of police would not be complete without him.

WABAN.

—For greater convenience to my patrons I desire to announce that all calls for my services may be transmitted to me by public telephone from Waban drug store, at my expense. Respectfully, Henry F. Cate. 1f

—In accordance with the usual custom, patriotic exercises were held in the public school last Monday afternoon. An effective program was prepared in which the children manifested a real love of patriotism and devotion to their country. The room was decorated in the national colors and made beautiful with many flowers. Comrade Montgomery of Charles Ward Post 62, G. A. R., made an interesting address which will long be remembered by the scholars, and for the spirit shown by them in their exercises he paid them and their teacher, Miss Bertha E. O'Connor, a glowing tribute. The exercises closed by all singing "America."

AUBURNDALE.

—Miss Ella B. Smith of Vista avenue is visiting her sister, Mrs. Dean A. Walker, of Aurora, N. Y.

—Newton boat club will hold a special meeting next Tuesday evening for the consideration of amendments to the by-laws.

—Mrs. Albert Little of Auburn street and her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Little, have taken a house at Newcastle, N. H., for the summer.

—Mrs. I. R. Worcester and Mrs. N. G. Clark are once more welcomed to Auburndale, where they formerly resided for many years. They are at Mrs. Walker's, Hancock street.

—The coming reunion of the Lasell Alumnae Association on June 14th at 3 p. m. is an especial observance of the twenty-fifth anniversary of Principal Bradford and Professor Hills. All are cordially invited.

—Mr. Henry E. Parker, eldest son of the late Charles Edward Parker, made a short visit at the homestead, 7 Auburn place, this week. Mr. Parker is superintendent of terminal at Newport News and Norfolk, Virginia, having sole charge of the immense property of the Chesapeake & Ohio R. R. Co., including six ocean-going steamships to London and Liverpool.

—There was a pleasant party of nine deaf people on Memorial Day who were entertained by Mrs. Charles Edward Parker and her sister, Miss Alice Jennings, at their home in Auburn place. To one who watched them dancing on the green, or playing literary games, or engaged in lively conversation, almost without the aid of signs, the misfortune of deafness seemed to have its compensations.

NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—Mr. Edmund D. Daley, '99, Boston College, won the prize at the annual oratorical contest for the students, held Monday evening. His oration was on "Henry W. Grady."

Newton Centre 28; Allston 4.

A team match between the first team of the Allston golf club and the first team of the Newton Centre golf club was played yesterday afternoon on the Institution hill links at Newton Centre. The home team won, 28 to 4. The score:

NEWTON CENTRE	ALLSTON
C. A. Wilkie.....	7 Geo. Wright.....
E. M. Noyes.....	8 E. Hartshorn.....
C. W. Boyce.....	9 F. E. Wingate.....
W. Merrill.....	10 L. P. Phinney.....
E. L. Allen.....	3 G. A. Sprague.....
Total.....	28 Total.....

Wawbewas Win Again.

At the spring meet of the eastern division of the American Canoe Association, at Horn Pond, Woburn, the Wawbewas scooped in most of the prizes, as usual. The most exciting feature of Tuesday's race was the war-canoe race between the Wawbewas and the Imbitous, nine men to a canoe. It was nip and tuck from the first dip to the final shoot of the big craft across the finish. The Wawbewas were able to win only by one-third length after some of the hottest sprinting they have done in many a moon.

The Wawbewas won the single blade tandem, Love and Adams; the double blade four, single blades; second in single blades, singles; first in club fours, double blade, Drake, May, Pratt and Adams; first in tandem, Drake and May; first in war canoe race; first in hand paddling, Adams; first in tilting tournament, May and Pratt; first in hurry scurry, Pratt, and Adams won first in upset race.

In the selection of officers, Louis A. Hall was elected rear commodore. It was generally understood at the close of the meet that the next spring camp will be held at Worcester, under the auspices of the Tatassits.

REAL ESTATE.

Arthur P. French has sold to James Tracy a frame dwelling of seven rooms, together with about 6000 square feet of land on Hawthorne street, Auburndale.

R. J. Morrissey has sold for W. A. Alexander to Thomas W. Greenall five cottages in Watertown and Newton. The Watertown properties are located on Watertown hill and comprise an 11-room house and 600 square feet of land at the corner of Palmyre street and Everett avenue; a nine-room house and 675 square feet of land on the north side of Bartlett street, and an eight-room house and 574 square feet of land on the south side of Forest street, at the corner of Palmyre street. The Newton properties comprise two cottage houses with about 6000 square feet of land. The property is bought for investment.

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Contains 106 dozens, consisting of Ladies' Corset Covers in four styles, Ladies' Drawers in two styles, Misses' Drawers, Children's Drawers, Babies' Slips, Children's Waists and Ladies' Chemises. The actual value of each article is from 25 to 30c. While the sale lasts you can have your choice for

15c.

Lot No. 3

Contains 95 dozens, consisting of Ladies' Night-robes, Ladies' Drawers in two styles, Ladies' Chemises, Ladies' Corset Covers in four styles, including the French and American. The actual value of each article is from 38 to 50c. While the sale lasts you can take your choice for

29c.

Lot No. 4

Contains 83 dozens, consisting of Ladies' Night-robes, Ladies' Drawers in two styles, Ladies' Chemises, Ladies' Corset Covers in two styles, Ladies' Skirts in two styles, Ladies' Slips and Children's Dresses. The actual value of each article is from 50 to 60c. While the sale lasts you can have your choice for

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Lot No. 5

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MEMORIAL DAY.

GENERAL OBSERVANCE THROUGHOUT THE CITY—SOLDIER DEAD OF THE SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR NOT FORGOTTEN.

Newton's tribute to her soldier dead of the Spanish-American war made the observance of Memorial Day of more than common significance in this city.

In connection with the details of Charles Ward post, G. A. R., a squad from Co. C, 5th Infantry, M. V. M. composed of Sergt. Wascott, Sergt. McCabe, Corp. Dolan, Corp. Why and Private Utley, decorated the graves of the four Co. C. members who died with their regiment while at Greenville, South Carolina.

In the morning Charles Ward post members decorated the graves of deceased veterans in the several Newton cemeteries, at Waltham and Mt. Auburn.

The grave of Rev. S. F. Smith, author of "America," in the Newton cemetery was buried in floral tributes from Charles Ward post.

The afternoon's exercises took the form of a parade in Newton and Newtonville and thousands of citizens turned out to witness it.

A dinner was given at Armory hall to the members of Charles Ward post at 12, and Mayor E. B. Wilson entertained the members of the city government at city hall with a lunch.

The order of the parade was as follows: Platoon of Police in charge of Sergt. John Purcell.

Chief Marshal Isaac F. Kingsbury, Adjutant General, Comrade John Ryan, Chief of Staff, Comrade Hosea Hyde, The Associate Members of Charles Ward post, G. A. R.

High School Band, Sergt. C. F. Avery, High School Battalion, Capt. H. F. Greene commanding.

Carter's Band, T. M. Carter, Leader, Charles Ward Post, G. A. R., John Flood, Commander.

Mrs. A. E. Cunningham Tent 2, Daughters of Veterans, Miss Marie Groth, President, Company C, 5th Regt. Inf'ty, Mass, Vol. Militia, Capt. R. Springer.

Boy's Brigade.

City Government in carriages.

Promptly at 1:30 the line formed in front of the Washington street armory and passing through Richardson, Centre, Vernon, Park, Washington and Walnut streets, reached the Newton cemetery shortly before 3.

At the base of the soldiers' monument, brief but impressive services were held, including prayers by Rev. B. F. McDaniel, chaplain of Charles Ward post, G. A. R., and a patriotic reading by Past Department Commander W. A. Wood.

At the close of the service the parade marched to the High school drill field and was reviewed by Mayor Wilson and members of the city government.

A banquet followed in Temple hall, where the mayor, members of the city government and Co. C, 5th Infantry, M. V. M. were guests of Charles Ward post.

Major Wilson in his address said: "Only a short time has elapsed since many of us were assembled to welcome back to our midst, our company of young volunteers, who so bravely went forth at their country's call to defend her public honor."

To-day the scene has changed. We meet here to do honor to a far greater army, not an army of young men fresh from the fields of warfare, but the young blood bounding with life and hope, their laurels fresh upon them, but in their stead, we meet to honor a larger and ever increasing company of noble patriots and martyrs: an army that has fought the great fight and finished the course and kept the faith."

To-day the brave boys sweep grandly by us in review to strains of martial music, our loved and honored "Grand Army of the Dead." As we gaze upon them our thoughts revert to the recent call to arms, and we think how gladly they would have hastened to the rescue. But the bugle's blast did not disturb their now peaceful repose, for

"Fast asleep the boys are lying In their low and narrow tents, And no battle cry can wake them, And no orders call them hence."

To-day we observe the thirtieth Anniversary of Memorial Day. The custom so lovingly introduced by the southern woman during our Civil War, of scattering flowers over their dead heroes graves grew apace, until our honored General John A. Logan in 1889 gave to us this day.

For thirty years our nation tried faithfully to keep green the memory of our departed heroes, and each succeeding year has only added new lustre to their fame. Now no North or South is known, but wherever a fallen soldier's grave is traced, the loyal comrades of the G. A. R. strew flowers and plant the nation's emblem, thus perpetuating not only the southern women's custom and the memory of our valiant dead, but the honor so justly due our Army of the Dead.

There are many now numbered among this army who were not left among the stricken slain, but have since passed on to join their regiment. Each succeeding year but helps to swell this number, as we are called to part with another and another of our soldier boys.

Your earthly links are dwindling as the years go by, and many of you go now with feeble steps to decorate your comrades graves, yet your loyalty and devotion to each other and your country, burn just as brightly in your hearts to-day as they did so long ago, and we all honor you more as each Memorial Day returns.

"When among the lofty mountains and across the mighty sea, The small sea celestial bugler shall ring out the reveille, Then shall march with brightest laurels and with proud victorious tread, To their station up in Heaven, Our Grand Army of the Dead."

Other speakers were commander John Flood, Ex-Mayor H. E. Cobb, Ex-Mayor Kimball, Julius L. Clark, Col. L. P. Kingsbury, Alderman Nagle, Alderman Chesley, Hon. G. D. Gilman, Capt. E. R. Springer and Miss Marie Groth.

COMMENCEMENT AT LASELL.

EXERCISES OF THE GALA WEEK WILL BEGIN THURSDAY EVENING, JUNE 8.

Commencement exercises at Lasell seminary, Amherst, will begin on the evening of Thursday, June 8, when the commencement concert will be held at 7:45.

Friday evening, June 9, the joint banquet of the S. D. and Lasella clubs, extended to the senior class, will be given.

The students will attend services at the Congregational church, Sunday, June 11, when the baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by Rev. Dr. C. W. Rhishall of Boston University.

The class day exercises will be held on the lawn Monday evening, June 12, at 7:45. The principal's reception to the senior class will be held Tuesday evening.

On Wednesday, June 14, at 11 a. m., the graduating exercises will be held in the Congregational church. An address will be delivered by Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis, D. D., of the Plymouth church, Brooklyn, N. Y. At 2 in the afternoon the Lasell alumnae will hold a business meeting.

This year's graduating class numbers 29.

"He—Are you sure I am the only man you ever really and truly loved?" She—"Perfectly sure. I went over the whole list only yesterday."—New York Weekly.

Spring Cup Play at Newton Centre.

The second round in the tournament for the spring cup was played Wednesday afternoon on the Institution hill links of the Newton Centre Golf Club. The scores: Bally beat Fessenden, 2 up, 2 to play. Mullins beat Noyes, 4 up. Royce beat Tudor, 2 up. Harrington beat Paul, 3 up, 2 to play. Gilbert beat Merrill, 1 up. Hovey beat D. D. Kidder, Jr., 2 up. Toney beat Greene, 4 up, 2 to play. E. H. Kidder beat Hollings, 4 up.

Does Coffee Agree With You?

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AN ARTISTIC MIX UP.

Bestriding Results That Followed a Photographer's Mistake.

A well known attaché of the Hollenden hotel has a maid servant in his household whose complexion would make Erebos look like early twilight. Some time ago this dusky maid determined she would have her picture taken. She wanted a number of copies to send to "Rastus" and her other friends, and she had a personal desire to see how her looks had improved since the last photograph.

Nothing would do but she must patronize a leading photographer. So one day, attired in her Sunday go to camp meeting clothes she visited the studio, looked pleasant and assured that the photographer had finished would be promptly mailed to her address.

In due course of time the package arrived, and the delighted girl hurried back to the kitchen to open it.

A few moments later one of the other members of the household heard a dull thud, accompanied by a wild crackling. She hurried back to the kitchen, and there she found the girl sitting flat on the floor, having evidently tumbled from the coal box, grasping a photograph in either hand and wearing a smile of ecstatic delight.

"Looky dat, missy," she cried, "looky dat! Did yo' evah see anythin' mo' beautiful in all yo' boin' days? Wonder what 'Rastus' 'll say to his baby now? But, oh, missy, I see mos' 'frail dat fotumographer has done got me jes' a hill might too pale!"

She held up the photographs.

They were unmistakably the likeness of a white girl.

At about the same time a Euclid avenue belle was opening a similar package. There was a smile of delightful anticipation on her face as she drew forth the contents of the envelope. Then she gave a wild shriek and toppled back in her chair. The face that smiled up at her was black!

"It must be the effect of some dreadful chemical change," suggested the horror-stricken mother.

"Chemical rubbish," cried the daughter, "those are not my pictures."

Of course you see how it was. The pictures were mixed up by the Buttermilk whose business it was to package them up.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Prevalence of Appendicitis.

Surgeons admit that 75 per cent. of all cases of appendicitis will recover without operation, but claim that 98 per cent. could be saved by operating promptly on every case as soon as discovered. This discloses a debate of great significance, for physicians are disinclined to turn all cases to the surgeon. Morris has estimated that there are 200,000 new cases of appendicitis discovered each year in the United States. If this is true and the surgeons are right, 40,000 of them would be ruthlessly sacrificed under needless treatment. But physicians assert (and I wish I knew whether truly or not) that antiseptics upon subjects that have died from other diseases than appendicitis show old inflammatory processes about the appendix in one third of the cases, just as old tuberculous cicatrices are found in the lungs where tuberculosis has never been suspected. In other words, one-third of all coming to the autopsy table and by inference a large proportion of the population have gone well spontaneously cured by an unsuspected trouble which would have subjected them to a life-endangering operation had they fallen into the hands of a surgeon of sufficient skill to make the diagnosis.

When surgeons extol the skill necessary to make diagnosis in doubtful cases, physicians retort that these are the cases in which diagnosis would better not be made. Obviously the subject has not crystallized and is in process of evolution, but even the late humor for an operation when there is recognized tumor and poisoning from pus absorption.—Medical Record.

How They Used to Kill.

In repairing an old house in Hartford, England, not long ago the workmen found several ancient death warrants, bearing the signature of the Duke of Portland, minister of King George III. One of them dated June 17th, gives an idea of what legal hanging and quartering were like in those days. It runs:

"Whereas, James O'Coigley, having been attainted of high treason and had sentence passed upon him to be drawn upon a hurdle to the place of execution and to be there hanged by the neck, but not until he is dead, but that, being alive, he shall be taken down and his bowels taken out and burned before his face, that his head and body shall be divided into four parts, and that his head and body shall be disposed of as we think fit, and whereas we think fit to remit that part of the sentence directing the burning of his bowels and dividing the body into four parts, our will and pleasure is that his head be drawn and hanged and have his head severed from his body."—Bathmore Sun.

How He Misunderstood.

There were loud cries from a man in the back of the hall, and the cornetist went at it again.

There were more cries from other parts of the hall, but with that one still ringing in his ears, the cornetist kept it up.

"What are you trying to do?" cried the manager. "That's no encore."

"No encore!" exclaimed the cornetist when he had been induced to break off. "Didn't that man back there yell, 'Toot, man!' four or five times?"

"Not any," answered the manager. "He's a Scotchman, and what I said was, 'Toot, man!'"—Chicago Post.

Only an Amateur.

Mrs. Driver—"You're hungry, eh? What are you, anyway? A professional tramp, I suppose."

Rounds Walker—"No, lady, I'm not a professional. Only an amnytrot, lady. I never ask for money. Something to eat and drink is all I have ever entered for yet."—Boston Transcript.

THE COBRA AND THE HARE.

Rider Haggard's Startling Adventure on the Transvaal Veldt.

Once, many years ago, I was riding in search of small game upon the veldt in the Transvaal when a hare jumped up before me. Halting the horse, I shot at it from the saddle and with the second barrel broke one of its hind legs and injured the other. Springing from my horse and without reloading the gun, I ran to catch it, but as it could still travel faster than I did I saw with chagrin that it would reach a hole for which it was heading (in Africa these hares go to ground if pressed) before I was able to overtake it. Presently it came to the hole, but instead of bolting down it sat quite still upon the higher side. Thinking that the animal was creeping, I crept up cautiously and stretched out my hand to seize it.

The next instant I received one of the sharpest shocks that I can remember to have experienced, for on the other side of the hole, within about four feet of my face, like some child of an evil magic, there rose up suddenly the hugest cobra ("ringhals," I think the Boers call it) that I have ever seen. The reptile, which appeared to me to be about six feet long, stood upon its coiled tail and, putting out his horrible and deadly hood, flickered his tongue and spat upon me. There was no reason why he should not have struck me also, since for the moment I seemed paralyzed and did not move. Recovering myself, I sprang backward and began to search in my pocket for a cartridge to put into my gun, whereon the great snake, sinking down again, with a single swift movement vanished into the hole which was between it and me.

Now, as the "ringhals" had gone, I thought that at any rate I might as well secure the hare, which all this while, petrified with terror, had been crouching by the top of the hole. So once again I leaped toward it. It heard me and tried to run away, but was evidently too weak. Then it looked first back at me and next at the burrow down which the snake had vanished, and, seeming finally to decide that the merces of a cobra are greater than the merces of man, it uttered a scream and followed the reptile into the hole. I stood by and listened. Presently from under the earth came the sound of a rush and a scuffle, followed by another pitiful scream. Then all was still.—Rider Haggard in Longman's.

EVERY'S ROCK.

The Niagara Falls Tragedy Which Gave the Spot Its Name.

A few men still live about Niagara Falls who remember the awful incident which gave a name to Avery's rock, a point usually of interest to the tourist. On Friday, July 19, 1853, Joseph Avery, a German, was on the rocks above the falls in a small skiff with a companion. In some way they lost control of their boat, and it went over the falls with Avery's companion. Avery himself jumped or fell out and succeeded in clinging to a log which had become jammed against a rock not far above the brink of the falls.

It was evening when this happened, and Avery passed the night on the log, having himself no means of trying himself to it with a piece of stout cord which he had in his pocket.

In the morning the men were seen, and thousands quickly gathered on the shores. A high placard was held up where it could be seen by Avery, on which, in gigantic letters, had been printed the words, "We will save you."

All day the people on shore strove to make their word good. Many ropes were tried in vain. One boat was let down into the current by ropes, but the rope was swamped immediately. Another followed, but the lines became hopelessly entangled in the rocks, and it had to be abandoned. In the afternoon a raft was sent down, but the raft stuck fast in the rocks. There seemed no way in which Avery could be reached, and meanwhile his strength was fast failing.

At last, held securely by ropes, a boat ventured out to him, guided by a daring navigator, who had almost reached the log when Avery, who had unlashed himself and was eagerly awaiting a chance to spring into the boat, jumped for it; but, being weak from hunger and terror, he missed his clutch, fell into the swift current and in an instant was swept over the falls.—F. A. Acland in Youth's Companion.

Just a Little Fib.

"Seeing the name of the painter, Alfred Stevens, in the papers reminds me of a neat little faux pas made by a would-be art connoisseur in Paris a few years ago," said a gentleman who owns a few masterpieces himself.

"He is a painter, but even that is not the name of the thoroughly Anglo-Saxon name of Alfred Stevens is not English or American, and, in fact, there is a ring to the name that suggests the United States. As a matter of fact, Stevens is a Belgian master, pronounced his name 'Stayevnz' and is as far from English in his style as it is possible to be."

"Stevens is a prominent figure in Parisian art circles," said another. "One of the most important of the American salons of Paris, a newly arrived young lady, with art aspirations, was discoursing learnedly on painters and painting when some one chanced to ask whether she had met Alfred Stevens."

"After a moment's hesitation the young lady replied: 'No, I don't believe I ever met him, but he has relatives in Bridgeport, Conn., and I have seen him there several times.' I think he is one of your cleverest young painters, don't you?"—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

A Bank of Brides.

Simla, the summer capital of the Indian empire, is a pretty pine tree place well up in the foothills of the Himalayas. A feature of Simla life is the annual fair held by the native hill people, an attractive one in which the "bank of brides" in an amphitheater, where six numbers of young women who thus calmly announce that they are candidates for hymeneal honors.

Some of these aspirants to matrimony so patiently awaiting a choosing are quite pretty and have intelligent faces, but those of Mongol caste must needs linger long for a partner, if personal beauty enters into the equation.—Exchange.

It's Well It's So.

"When one breaks an engagement," suggested the bud, "I suppose it is the proper thing to return the engagement ring."

"If it were not," replied the girl who had been out three seasons, "some girls would have to have their engagement ring fingers lengthened."—Chicago Post.

Diplomacy in the Home.

Jepson—How did your wife fancy your new suit?

Harvey—She disliked it so much that I had to tell her I got it at a bargain sale.—Brooklyn Life.

MURDER IN HIS SOUL.

PITIFUL PLAINT OF THE MAN WHO IS BORED BY STATISTICS.

One Victim of the Frenzied Veto, on Every Possible Occasion, Flings Figures at You Freely His Mind and Warns His Tormentors.

"I don't think I have a reputation for being a blithering idiot," said the leader of the New England, "but down in my heart I have the feeling that I shall break loose some day and do murder. It is a man who will be my victim. I shan't break his neck or shoot him through the head, but I shall prolong his agonies for hours and get revenge for all I have suffered. You see, it has been going on for years—my sufferings—and no matter how patient I am, he reaches the dead line at last. The man I refer to is the man who is always chucking statistics at you. He is to be found on every train and steamboat—in the office of every hotel—aye, even at the newly made grave of a friend. I have been one of his victims for 20 years, but I can't last much longer. Inside of the next 12 months you'll read in the papers of some one being torn limb from limb by a wild-eyed man who looked like a hunted tiger, and that wild-eyed man will be me."

"I start from Springfield to run over to Boston," continued the leather man with a touch of pathos in his tones. "I am only comfortably seated with my newspaper or magazine when the man on the seat in front turns and inquires at what speed the train is traveling. I can't tell him, nor would I if I could. He hopes that I can't, for he has a little speech all ready. He smiles in a patronizing way and says:

"My dear man, we are traveling at the rate of 42 miles, 4 rods, 2 yards, 1 foot and 5 inches per hour. Should this train, traveling at this rate, strike a stone wall, the impact would be exactly equal to the force of a wave 11 feet high and half a mile long breaking on a sandy beach with a pitch of three inches to the foot."

"Well, what can I say to that?" asked the New Englander. "I am as helpless as a man on a raft in midocean. I can't dispute him, and your statistician is a man who can't be scowled down nor turned aside. He has come to stay, and the only way you can get rid of him is to leap from the train. I was going down to Fall River one day, when an old tooth began to growl and ache. I was getting mad and nervous about it, when along came the statistician and began:

"Did you ever figure up the amount of arable land occupied by the hills and mountains of the United States? Well, it's an interesting bit of knowledge to find that if all unincultivated hills and mountains were leveled off we should be the gainer by 81,294,317 acres of productive soil. Our farming population could be doubled. Our annual products would amount to exactly \$612,828,242.17 more than at present."

"He was going on to tell me just how many nails, tin cans, pocket and pumpkins could be raised and how many more gimlets, screwdrivers and corkscrews would be needed to supply the market, when I told him I had the toothache and didn't care to talk. He was bluffed for half a minute, and then he came back at me with:

"The toothache, eh? Toothache is caused by the cold air striking an exposed nerve. I probably never gave thought to it, but there are exactly 3,500 nerves radiating from your gums, and the exposure of any one of these causes pain. Speaking of teeth, do you know what the strength of the jaw is? It is computed, sir, that when a full grown and healthy man shuts his teeth down as hard as he can on a pine board he is exercising a force of one horsepower. Every time you bite into a sandwich you use four pounds to open a door. Should you yell 'Police!' at the top of your voice the air pressure would be sufficient to lift one of your shoes seven inches high. When you sneeze, you waste power enough to pull a turnip out of the ground, and the force of a hearty laugh would drive a broad awl half way through a raw potato."

"I had to listen to that sort of talk for an hour," said the leather man, "and was mad all through when I got to Fall River. I was looking for a tooth foundry to have the old thing jerked out when I met a benign looking old gentleman on the street who asked me if I had ever computed the quantity of tears shed in the United States every year. I told him to go to and be hanged, but he laid his hand on my shoulder in a fatherly way and asked me a number of questions. The quantity was exactly 31 barrels, 22 gallons, 2 quarts and a pint. Before I could get away from him he added that this amount of water would run a ten horsepower engine 17 hours and 13 minutes, and that the energy wasted in the weeping of the tears would plant 9½ acres of corn."

"I had had statistics shot at me and pumped into me and driven through me until I have come to have murder in my heart. I never could see why I should be selected out of all men in a car or a crowd, but it is invariably the case. I was in New York a month ago. I was riding on an elevated train and glancing over the daily paper when a man walked the length of the car to crowd in beside me and say:

"My dear sir, has it entered your mind that we are traveling at the rate of 16 miles an hour, and that if this train should be suddenly stopped dead, still each one of us would be flung forward a distance of 38 feet 9¼ inches?"

"I got away from him by leaving the train," said the New Englander, "and I wanted to kill him as I went. As I said in the beginning, the last straw has been placed on the camel's back. For 40 years I have had statistics hurled at me almost daily, and it is time that I dabbled my hands in blood. I start for Boston to-day, and you just paste it in your hat that the man who sits down beside me and begins to tell me how many eyes and legs the house fly has, how fast lightning travels or why a mud turtle can't fly is going to get six months in the hospital as fast as I can give it to him!"—Boston Herald.

Gordon's Courage.

Sir W. H. Russell, the veteran war correspondent, tells this characteristic story of Gordon:

During the Crimean war there was a sortie, and the Russians actually reached the English trench. Gordon stood on the parapet, in great danger of his life, with nothing save his stick in his hand, encouraging the soldiers to drive out the Russians.

"Gordon," they cried, "come down! You'll be killed!"

But he took no notice, and a soldier who was near said:

"It's all right; 'e don't mind being killed. 'E's one of those blessed Christians!"

LOVE.

Love, O thou blessed love, Then loon, then cease, Then all in man of love, Then all of worse!

When gloom o'er shadows my soul, Then loon, then cease, Then all in man of love, Then all of worse!

Love, when I follow thee, I meet but strife, And yet I would not turn— Then art my life!

—H. A. F. in New York Sun.

VINEGAR, THEN LEAD.

They Settled the Trouble at the Carbonville Postoffice.

"I think my most exciting official experience," said Captain J. E. Stone, formerly United States postal inspector, "was at the town of Carbonville, Colo., in 1879. It was a star route post, and there was much complaint about the non-receipt of mail, so I went over to investigate."

"The postmaster was a man named Wilson, who kept a general store, and the postoffice consisted of a soap box on the end of his counter. When mail arrived, it was dumped in, and every fellow helped himself, an arrangement that worked well enough until a chap known as Black Hills Pete came to town. Pete disturbed the entire system. When he didn't get a letter himself, he would tear up several others on the principle that misery loves company, and being a notorious desperado, nobody dared interfere. I got the facts, and as the mail came in that evening I took a seat in the corner and awaited developments, first ordering the box removed."

"A little after dark the miners from camp began to assemble, and presently in came Black Hills Pete. He was a big brute of a fellow, and I saw at once there was going to be trouble. 'Where's that letter box?' he demanded of Wilson. 'I've ordered him not to use it any more,' I said, getting up. 'Who the blunk blunk are you?' roared Pete. 'I'm the inspector,' I replied. 'Well, you got me that box quick,' he retorted, and seeing him reach toward his pocket, I made a grab for my gun; but, as bad luck would have it, the confounded thing caught in the holster."

"In a twinkling he had me covered, but before he could turn loose a quivering voice called out: 'Pete! Oh, Pete! The desperado glared around, and there stood Wilson holding a large tin squirt gun used for drawing liquors. The sight was so ludicrous that the bully burst into a guffaw, and as he did so Wilson let drive the piston and hurled about a quart of the strongest kind of vinegar squarely into his face. The stuff blinded him, and before he could recover himself the storekeeper had two bullets in his shoulder."

"That's the true story of the strangest fight that ever occurred in the west. Pete recovered, but before he could be arrested was spirited away by friends to New Mexico. His right name was Luther Coleman, and there is a warrant now standing against him for destroying United States mail matter. After the episode I have narrated there was no further trouble at the Carbonville postoffice."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

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NEWTON FREE LIBRARY.

LIST OF NEW BOOKS.

- Benson, Margaret, and Gourlay, J. The Temple of Minerva. 35.307
- An account of the excavation of the temple and of the religious representations and objects found therein, as illustrating the history of Egypt and the main religious ideas of the Egyptians.
- Bowen, Benj. Lester, ed. First Italian Readings, with Notes and Vocabulary. 44.148
- Burleigh, Bennet. Khartoum Campaign, 1885, or the Reconquest of the Sudan. 74.359
- Carruth, Frances Weston. Those Dale Girls. 65.1014
- The author, Miss Carruth, who formerly lived in Newton, is a daughter of Judge Carruth.
- Croly, Jennie Cunningham (Jennie June). History of the Woman's Club Movement in America. 86.225
- Traces the development of the woman's club idea, then treats of representative clubs, the general federation, the state federations, with accounts of the local clubs.
- Elizabeth and her German Garden. 55.615
- A chronicle of days spent in and about one of the most delightful gardens known to modern literature.
- Gilman, Geo. C. Life and Public Services of Edwin M. Stanton. 96.469
- Harrison, Constance Cary. A Triple Entanglement. 64.1951
- Holme, Charles. Course of Instruction in Wood-Carving according to the Japanese Method. 101.953
- Howe, M. A. DeWolfe, ed. The Memory of Lincoln: Poems selected with an introduction. 52.668
- Eighteen poems of Lincoln by various writers, with an essay on "The poetic memory of Lincoln" by the editor.
- Johns Hopkins University. Studies in Historical and Political Science. Vol. 16. Anglo-American Relations and Southern History. 84.80
- Jones, Augustine. Life and Work of Thomas Dudley, Second Governor of Massachusetts. 95.629
- A contribution to early New England history, and a just and long-needed memorial of an eminent man and officer.
- McLennan, Wm., and McLennan, J. N. The Span of Life: A Tale of Louisiana and Quebec. 65.1000
- A story of the French and Indian war.
- Marks, Montague, ed. Cyclopaedia of Home Arts. 107.475
- Contents. Drawing. Illustrating. Painting. Decorative painting. Modelling. Wood-carving. Pyrography. Leather decoration. Metal work. Applied design. Miscellaneous.
- Munsterberg, Hugo. Psychology and Life. 104.623
- The author is professor of psychology in Harvard University.
- Reid, Sir Thomas Wemyss, ed. Life of William Ewart Gladstone. 96.470
- The various writers for this work were chosen because they had special means of dealing authoritatively with particular aspects of Gladstone's many-sided life and character.
- Roosevelt, Theodore. The Rough Riders. 74.360
- Scott, Temple. Bibliography of the Works of William Morris. 54.1260
- Includes the writings published separately in book and pamphlet form, and also contributions to magazines and newspapers.
- Sharp, R. F. Makers of Music. 93.770
- Biographical sketches of the great composers; with chronological summaries of their works, and facsimiles of their compositions.
- Stebbins, Charles Livingston, ed. Harvard Lyrics. 53.623
- Selections of the best verse written by Harvard undergraduates within the past ten years.
- Wilkins, Mary Eleanor. The Jamesons. 61.1243
- Wright, Julia McNair. Astronomy: the Sun and his Family. 101.950
- An examination of the chief facts of our solar system presented in a popular style.
- E. P. THURSTON, Librarian, May 31, 1899.

AUBURNDALE.

- Mr. John A. Pray of Boston is in town for the summer.
- Mr. John Hart has gone to work at Johnson's grain store.
- Mr. Bow of Boston has leased the restaurant at Norumbega Park.
- Miss Nellie McGuff of Webster street is recovering from her recent illness.
- The old stone wall on Auburn street near Melrose street has been removed.
- Mr. W. Chamberlain of Ash street has had a new piazza built to his house.
- At the Congregational church children's Sunday will be observed June 10.
- Rev. J. L. Pettie and wife of the Missionary Home are visiting at Manchester, N. H.
- Mr. H. M. Gates and family of Worcester have moved here, and will reside on Melrose street.
- Mr. W. H. Keith of Boston was the guest of Mr. Clarence Dubois of Melrose street last week.
- Mr. James Tracy has purchased a frame dwelling with 6000 square feet of land on Hawthorn avenue.
- Newton High school, Brookline High and Roxbury High are holding outdoor athletic sports at the Recreation grounds today.
- At the annual meeting of the American Canoe association held in Woburn Tuesday, Mr. Louis C. Hall of the Wabawaw canoe club was elected rear commodore.
- Miss Louise Imogen Guiney was among the guests present at the reception given by the College club of Wellesley to the new president, in Boston, Monday afternoon.
- Eugene Leary, 3-years-old, was badly burned last week at Riverside. He was playing near a bonfire, when the blaze ignited his clothing, and before it could be extinguished his legs and arms were badly scorched.
- B. P. Sands has sold to P. A. McVicar six lots of land aggregating 30,000 square feet on the Newton boulevard, just west of Auburn street, to the Columbia Real Estate association were the grantees. Mr. McVicar buys for investment.
- The committee having charge of the field day at the B. A. A. clubhouse is making great preparations for Saturday, June 10. The Newton boat club will give a concert the same evening and has extended invitations to B. A. A. members.
- The three churches of Auburndale united in a patriotic service at the Congregational church last Sunday evening. An appropriate address was made by the Rev. W. D. Davis, chaplain of the G. A. R. department of Massachusetts. A detail from

Charles Ward Post 62, G. A. R., was present.

—Mr. John McGuff has entered the employ of Johnson & Keyes express.

—Mr. E. B. Haskell was at Rangeley, Maine, last week on a fishing trip.

—Miss Mabel Callahan has left the employ of Mrs. Dale of Melrose street.

—Mr. Charles Boothby of Stoneham was a visitor here for a few days last week.

—Mr. Henry R. Turner and family of Central street have gone to East Douglas for the summer.

—Mr. Frank X. Delory has taken possession of the house corner of Newell road and Auburndale avenue.

—Harry B. Inman of Auburn street, formerly lieutenant, Co. C, 5th regiment, has reported for duty in the Massachusetts Volunteer Militia.

—Memorial exercises were held by the various classes in the Williams school last Monday. The rooms where the exercises took place were artistically decorated with flags, bunting and flowers. The program consisted of songs and recitations.

—F. H. Small of Oakridge avenue, Auburndale, was riding a bicycle on Commonwealth avenue, Chestnut Hill, Tuesday morning when he lost control of the wheel and was thrown to the ground. He sustained several severe bruises. He was taken to his home in the ambulance.

—Last Friday as Masters Harold, Winslow and Philip Lamond were coasting down the Hancock street on a bicycle, the latter standing upon the step, the wheel struck a stone and both boys were thrown forcibly to the ground and were more or less injured, the latter receiving severe injuries about the head and face, while the former received injuries to his arm.

—At the church of the Messiah on Thursday evening of last week, a musicale of considerable merit was given. The artists included Miss Gertrude H. Nye, pianist; Mrs. Helen B. Metcalf, soprano; Mr. O. Emerson Bennett, reader; Mr. Arthur B. Keene, violinist; Mr. David M. Sanders, bass; Mr. E. R. Metcalf, accompanist; and a quartet comprising Miss Pearl Johnson, Miss Mary Metcalf, Miss Harriette Harnden and Miss Josephine Knight. The program rendered was decidedly good, and the different artists all acquitted themselves well. The readings by Mr. Bennett were exceptionally good, and the large audience present were well entertained.

—William Ryan died Friday evening of last week at his home on Auburndale avenue. He had been suffering with bright's disease about a month. Mr. Ryan was 23 years old and was formerly employed as a plumber by W. H. French of West Newton. He was a member of Co. C, 5th infantry, M. V. M. for several years, but did not accompany the regiment when it left for the south at the beginning of the Spanish-American war. The funeral services were held Monday morning at St. Bernard's church, West Newton, Rev. L. J. O'Toole officiating. Among those present were a large number of friends including a firing squad from Co. C, under command of Sergt. McCabe. The interment was in the Calvary cemetery, Waltham.

—The first social event of the summer at Lasell was the Juniors' garden party, given to the students and their friends on Saturday afternoon. The seminary buildings and trunks of trees were gayly decorated with flags, bunting and flowers. The lawn at the south of the seminary buildings presented an attractive appearance and on it were assembled nearly 300 students and their friends. From 3 to 5 the receiving party, which included Miss Hotchkiss, Miss Carpenter and Miss McCarthy, met their guests, assisted by Miss White, Miss Bailey, Miss Houghton and Miss Ramsdell. Refreshment tables were spread on the lawn and presided over by a score of young women.

NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—Some of the mills closed Monday, giving their employees two holidays this week.

—Mrs. Monagan has purchased a site for a new double house, she is soon to build on Glen road.

—All occupants of houses owned by the park commission have been given notice to remove within 30 days.

—Billings & Clapp are removing part of the machinery from their factory here to Riverton, where the new plant is being built.

—Mr. Jas. A. Early is removing the Fuller house and barn, to be remodelled, purchased a short time ago from the park commission, to his land on the Wellesley side.

—A runaway accident, happening Sunday night, resulted fortunately for the occupants of the carriage, two of whom were thrown out and received but a few cuts and bruises.

—The usual exercises here for Memorial Day were carried out this year, detachments of Post 62, S. of C. and the Guard visiting St. Mary's church cemetery and decorating graves of deceased soldiers and sailors. A brief and appropriate eulogy was delivered by Rev. H. N. Monro.

NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—The Newton baseball nine will play at Waltham tomorrow afternoon.

—A children's day concert will be held at the Methodist church in a few weeks.

—The I. M. C. T. and the Waltham nines played a one-sided game on the Ellis street grounds on Tuesday afternoon. The score was 27 to 7, the I. M. C. T.'s easily winning.

—A baseball game was played on Dudley's field on Tuesday afternoon by the Newtons, and a club from Revere. The game was discontinued in the seventh inning after the score stood 15 to 3 in the visitors' favor.

—The last bowling match of the season was held on Wednesday evening at the Quinobeguin alleys between the Quinobeguin Association team and the Gamewells team. The Gamewells were defeated after an interesting contest. The score was 369 to 356.

—Mr. Solomon Roderick of Ellis street, while at work Monday morning at Auburndale, fell and received fatal injuries, and his death was instantaneous. Funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon, Rev. W. A. Mayo conducting the services. Mr. Roderick is survived by a widow.

—For greater convenience to my patrons, I desire to announce that all calls for my services may be left with Mr. John W. Howe, High street, who will forward them to me with the greatest possible dispatch. Respectfully, HENRY F. CATE. 1611

—At the regular semi-annual business meeting of the Young People's Society of the Methodist church the following officers were elected for the coming six months: President, Herbert E. Locke; vice-president, Julius Peterson; secretary, Miss Flora E. Ingraham; treasurer, Oscar E. Nutter; committees, prayer meeting, John Temperley; lookout, Mrs. H. A. Sherman; music, Mrs. E. L. Zeis; missionary, Rev. W. A. Mayo; social, Mrs. H. E. Locke; temperance, John H. O'Brien.

—There is great satisfaction," said the Cornfed Philosopher, "when you have to do something mean, in regard to it as a sacred duty."—Indianapolis Journal.

NONANTUM.

—Mr. George Everett has just returned from a trip to Maine.

—Miss Edith Chapman has finished her year's work at Boston University.

—Mrs. Theophilus Frye of Bridge street is entertaining friends from Easton.

—Miss McConkey led the Y. P. S. C. E. last Sunday evening at the North church.

—Mr. Joshua Holdsworth and daughter Aleda are visiting Mr. Thomas Fisher of Bridge street place.

—The Ladies Church Aid Society met with Miss Jane Arnold of California street, Wednesday evening.

—Messrs. Frank Lowry and Ernest Hall rode to Hudson, Monday, returning Memorial Day. They were the guests of Mr. Harry Dison.

—Mr. Theo. Frye has hired the Benis estate, lately occupied by Mrs. Faucett, now of Newton Highlands, and will move into the house about the first of June.

—Arrangements are being made for the annual Sunday school picnic to be given on the Fourth of July at Roberts grove, by the North Evangelical Sunday school.

—A number of cycling parties went away wheeling the 30th. One went to Franklin Park and another went to Concord. The weather was warm, but the trips were enjoyed none the less.

—Mr. C. Furbush of Andover Theological Seminary, preached at the North church last Sunday morning. In the evening, the pastor, Rev. Daniel Greene, preached as usual.

—Nonantum turned out in a crowd to see the parade. They were not disappointed for the boys in Company C conferred great honor upon the fifth for their soldierly and gentlemanly appearance.

REV. HENRY G. SAFFORD

STICKEN WITH HEART DISEASE WHILE ON THE STREET.

The Rev. Henry Gilbert Safford, an old resident of Newton, was stricken by an attack of heart failure at the corner of Bacon and Pearl streets, about 9.30 o'clock Saturday morning, and died before assistance could reach him. The body was carried to a nearby house, where after being viewed by Dr. Utley, it was taken in charge by Undertaker G. W. Bush.

The Rev. Mr. Safford was born in Boston in 1832. He entered Brown University at Providence, R. I., from which he graduated in 1858. Later he entered the Baptist Theological Seminary at Newton Centre, where he studied for the Baptist ministry. He graduated from the seminary in 1861. He was ordained at Amesbury, Sept. 10, 1861. Shortly after his ordination he commenced preaching. He remained in Amesbury till 1863. That year he took charge of a parish at Concord, N. H., where he remained until 1875. Leaving Concord, he removed to South Framingham, where he continued preaching till 1885, when he removed to Newton, and took up his residence near the corner of Boyd and West streets.

Since his removal to Newton Mr. Safford had been engaged in the insurance business, being in the employ of the Aetna Insurance Company. He also acted as agent for the Waltham Fire Insurance Company. He was a member of the Baptist Foreign Missionary society, two sons and two daughters.

Dr. Leonard M. Fitch Dead.

Dr. Leonard M. Fitch, a well known dentist and a resident of West Newton for nearly half a century, died Sunday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Caroline E. Wise of Highland street, aged 94 years. Death was due to old age, although Dr. Fitch had not enjoyed good health for several months.

He was a native of West Hopkinton, Mass., and received his early education in the schools of that place. Later he entered the University of Vermont, and in 1840, and soon after his graduation, established an office for the practice of dentistry.

His office was in Boston for more than 40 years, although he made his home on Webster street, West Newton. As a resident of West Newton he was looked upon as a representative citizen and held in high esteem by a large number.

He was fond of traveling, and during the early part of his life visited many of the prominent cities in the United States.

He was prominent in the affairs of the West Newton Unitarian church, and was widely known for his philanthropy.

He is survived by a son and daughter. The funeral took place from the house Wednesday noon at 1 o'clock, and was officiated by Dr. Fitch's son, Rev. J. E. Jaynes, pastor of the West Newton Unitarian church, of which Dr. Fitch had been a member, conducted the service. At its conclusion the body was removed to Northboro, Mass., for interment.

Tours to the Provinces.

The new Plant Liner "La Grande Duchesse" will arrive in Boston, Tuesday, June 6, and invitations have been issued for a public reception on board at north side of Lewis Wharf, Thursday morning, June 8. Thursday afternoon she will take a short run down the harbor, giving the newspaper people, and a few other interested parties, an opportunity to see her in motion and get a taste of the pleasures of a trip on her to Halifax or Charlottetown. On Saturday, June 10, at 4 o'clock p. m., she makes her first trip to Halifax and continues this as far through June. Commencing Saturday, July 1st, her trips will be extended to cover Halifax, Hawkesbury and Charlottetown. Staterooms are already being engaged even as far ahead as July.

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Vermont as a Summer Home.

The advantages of Vermont as a summer home, and of the Green Mountain Route as a way of reaching it, are set forth in a most attractive way in the Central Vermont Railway's new handbook of vacation resorts, "Sun and Homes among the Green Hills."

This publication combines attractive illustrations and interesting text with information that is sure to be valuable to persons seeking rest or recreation in this region where beautiful scenery, pure air, and old-time hospitality is abundant. The book is sent for 4 cent stamp by S. W. Cummings, G. P. A., St. Albans, Vt., or F. H. Hanley, N. E. P. A., Central Vermont Railway, 194 Washington St., Boston.

Lasell Notes.

The pupils of the department of oratory gave a pleasant little entertainment to their friends the other evening. The program, which included music, recitations and a dramatic scene, was as follows:

Six Cups of Chocolate. Dramatic Scene. Characters: Misses Horstmeier, Cotton, Trowbridge, Dudley and Hodson.

Ride of Jennie McNeil. Recitation. Miss F. Thompson.

Piano Solo. Miss Ashley.

The Worm that Turned. Recitation. Miss Horstmeier.

A Dream. Song. Miss Dudley.

Seven Toes' Ghost. Recitation. Miss Wellington.

The Little Red Hen. Recitation. Miss G. Houghton.

The lawn party given by the Juniors on Saturday afternoon was a gratifying success. There were present, in all, about 100.

The weather was favorable, the refreshments provided dainty and delicious, and the social enjoyment of the hours manifest. Skillful hands had decorated the grounds, and the scene was gay and merry.

On Sunday evening, Rev. Mr. Davis, state chaplain, addressed the Charles Ward Post of the G. A. R. in the Congregational church of Auburndale. When the veterans reached the church they found the Lasell battalion drawn up in double line at the door to receive them, and passing between these the heroes entered the sanctuary. On leaving the church the veterans returned to the company standing in line until the girls of the battalion had passed.

On Sunday morning parties from the seminary attended the services of Trinity and the Church of the Advent, Boston.

The excursion to Hunnewell's Gardens and to Wellesley occurred on Monday morning, a considerable number availing themselves of this chance to see two of the prettiest spots anywhere around Boston. This is one of the favorite excursions of the year.

Miss Lillie Potter, a Lasell graduate, and a woman of charm and ability, addressed the pupils in the Tuesday evening prayer-meeting.

Miss Emily H. Ginn, who has spent the greater part of her year at home on a vacation, has lately returned to her duties as book-keeper here.

The order of the approaching commencement exercises of Lasell is as follows: Commencement concert, June 8th, at 7.45 p. m.; banquet of the Lasell club and the S. D. society to the graduating class, evening of June 9th; Baccalaureate sermon, Sunday, 11th, in the Congregational church, Auburndale, by Rev. C. W. Rishell, Ph. D., professor of historical theology, Boston University; class night exercises, Monday evening, June 12th; the principal reception to the graduating class, Tuesday evening, June 13th; commencement address and conferring of diplomas, Wednesday morning, June 14th, in the Congregational church of the village, Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, pastor of the First Church, Brooklyn, N. Y., will deliver the commencement address.

Not Much of an Experiment.

Woburn, Mass., May 27, 1899.—Albert Ames, residing at Converse place, this city, began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla a few months ago as "an experiment." He had no appetite or strength and was tired all the time. When he had taken one bottle of Hood's his appetite came back and his stomach trouble was cured. He has now taken three bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla and says he never felt so well in his life.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Boston Museum.—Viola Allen begins her last week in "The Christian" at the Boston Museum next Monday evening, June 6th. There will be but eight performances—matinee, Wednesday and Saturday, and these will comprise Miss Allen's farewell appearances in Boston and New England for two years, and positively her last times as Glory Quail in this part of the country. There will be no further extension of her engagement under any circumstances, and Saturday evening, June 10th, definitely marks its close. Miss Allen's next appearance in Boston will be in a new play, now being written for her by a great English author, during the season of 1901-1902.

"Peffer has returned to the Republican party," remarked the observer of the "Yes," added the cross-eyed boarder. "And Mary Elizabeth Lease has quit politics and is lecturing on Spiritualism."

Populism in Kansas is without verbal means of support.—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

Pursuant to a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Margaret M. Carthy to Phoebe W. Emery, dated the twentieth day of October A. D. 1897 and recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Registry of Deeds book 305 page 87, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing the said mortgage will be sold at public auction upon the premises on the tenth day of June at 4 o'clock P. M. all and singular the premises described in said mortgage deed, namely a certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situate, in the city of Newton, Mass., and being portions of lots numbered thirty seven and thirty eight (37 and 38) upon a plan of lots belonging to Henry Brock Jr. in Newton, Mass. September 18, 97, which plan is recorded in Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds book 16 plan 53 and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:—beginning at a point on the southerly side of Beach Street distant easterly one hundred sixty one and seven tenths feet (161 7/10) from Nevada Street thence turning at a right angle from said Beach Street and running southerly bounded by the westerly portion of said lot numbered thirty seven (37) one hundred and twenty two feet to lot numbered twenty six (26) on said plan; thence turning at a right angle and running easterly by said lot numbered twenty seven (27) twenty (20) feet; thence turning at a right angle and running northerly bounded by the easterly part of said lot numbered thirty eight (38) one hundred and eighty three feet to said Beach Street, thence turning and running westerly by said Beach Street forty (40) feet to the point of beginning containing six thousand (6000) square feet of land more or less and being a portion of the premises conveyed to the said Margaret M. Carthy by deed of Henry Brock.

The real estate will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes and assessments.

\$100 to be paid at the time of the sale.

PIERCE W. EMERY Mortgagee

May 20th 1899

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NEWTON CENTRE.

—Photographs at 60 Union street.
—Mr. and Mrs. William Z. Ripley sailed Wednesday for Europe.
—Maurice Armstrong has returned from a visit in Newburyport.
—Letter-carrier L. M. Stanley has returned to duty after a week's vacation.
—Mr. William Ulmer of Bowen street left yesterday for Centre Harbor, N. H.
—The steam roller is at work on Langley road improving the condition of the street.
—A successful children's sociable was held at the Methodist church last evening.
—Mr. Walter Guilford has been spending a portion of the week at New Ipswich, N. H.

—Mr. George Cummings of Orleans was the guest of Mr. Arthur Bull of Centre street.
—Mr. W. N. Bartholomew and his son Walter of Centre street start tomorrow for Nantucket.

—Mr. A. W. Bartholomew of Providence, R. I., spent Memorial day with his parents in this place.

—Mr. J. H. Edwards and family of Circuit road left this week for their summer home at Clifton.

—Mr. Hodgman and family are occupying the house of ex-Mayor Burr on Kingsbury street, Chestnut Hill.

—Mr. Raymond and family have taken the house formerly occupied by Mr. J. H. Edwards on Circuit road.

—Mr. and Mrs. Winifred N. Donovan have returned to Pelham street after several weeks in Newton.

—Miss F. E. Whitman of Hammond street sailed Wednesday from East Boston on the S. S. New England for Europe.

—"Excuses" will be the topic at the meeting of the Young Peoples union at the First Baptist church on Sunday evening.

—The Cypress street bridge is having additional timbers put under it and otherwise strengthened for the electric car service.

—Messrs. Walter T. and A. Lawrence Russell of Ward street left Wednesday evening for an extended fishing trip in Maine.

—Mrs. E. M. Hills has closed her residence on Pelham street and is staying with Mrs. E. M. Fowle on Norwood avenue.

—Mr. G. F. Richardson and Mr. Alexander Montgomery enjoyed dinner with their families at Wayside Inn, Sudbury, last Tuesday.

—Mr. Charles H. Rand is one of the incorporators of the United States Signal company recently organized in Portland, Maine.

—The subject of the sermon by Rev. George H. Spencer at the Methodist church on Sunday evening will be "Paul, the servant of Jesus Christ."

—Messrs. Samuel Ward and W. N. Young have gone to Joplin, Missouri, to look after the land and zinc mining interest in that town.

—Rev. A. H. Strong, D. D., president of the Rochester Theological Seminary of New York, preached Sunday evening at the First Baptist church.

—Some of the boys are beginning to tamper with the emergency apparatus on the lake which was installed last winter by the improvement association.

—A Charity concert will be given in the parlors of the Unitarian church on Tuesday evening, June 6th. Tickets may be had of members of the committee.

—At the annual meeting of the American Congregational association held in Boston, Monday, Rev. E. M. Noyes and Rev. Wm. H. Cobb were elected vice-presidents.

—The Newton Centre Golf club will hold a club team match on the links next Saturday. On Saturday, June 10, the Breburn-Newton Centre team match will be played.

—At the Unitarian church next Sunday, services will be conducted by Rev. C. W. Wendie. Sunday school at 12. Hale Union at 7:30. Subject, "What Makes a Happy Home?" All are welcome.

—Thursday evening of last week Mr. W. O. Knapp, the grocer, entertained his clerks at his residence on Walnut street. The company enjoyed an informal entertainment program followed by refreshments.

—Newton was victorious on Friday afternoon in the Yale-Newton baseball game on the Cedar street grounds. Dr. Edward Dowd pitched a fine game for Newton. A large number of spectators were present. The score was 3 to 2.

—Driver John Ellis of steamer 3 saved the life of a woman cyclist on Willow street Tuesday afternoon. As steamer 3 was leaving the slip, a horse-drawn carriage collided with the horses of the engine on Willow street. Driver Ellis made strenuous efforts to bring his horses to a stop, and by clever handling, of the reins, avoided running over the woman. She was unhurt and her wheel but slightly damaged.

—Last Monday evening about 5 o'clock, Miss Annie Cabot, 10 years of age, living with her parents at Chestnut Hill, was thrown down by a horse at the corner of Berkeley and Providence streets, Boston, and seriously if not fatally injured. The little girl was crossing the street and stepped behind one team, not seeing another that was coming in the opposite direction. She was thrown to the ground by the horse, which stepped on her chest. She was taken to the office of Dr. J. W. Lovett, 234 Marlboro street. Her injuries were found to be serious, the hoof of the horse having crushed her chest and caused severe internal injury. Her condition was so serious that she could not be removed to her home, and she was made comfortable at the doctor's house.

—A good sized crowd turned out to see the game between the Newton Centre A. C. and the King Phillips of Newton. Both teams put up a good game but the King Phillips got the lead and kept it, winning by a score of 22 to 12. The features of the game were the batting of Porter and Leonard. The initial work of the victory was very fast. Leonard got in front of several drives that looked good for base hits. Hamblen as usual played an excellent game at first. Harris did the best playing for the locals. The teams were made up as follows: King Phillips—Leonard, 2b; Porter, s.; Hamblen, 1b; Payne, p.; Leathbridge, 3b; Brown, 1b; Ivy, c.; Otis, c.; Kendall, 1b; Newton Centre—Harris, s.; 3b; Burns, c.; s.; Mahoney, 3b; c.; Wheelock, 2b; Spinney, p.; Selback,

1b; Twombly, r. f.; Kirkpatrick, c. f.; Hasbrook, 1b.

—Mr. and Mrs. Mansfield of Connecticut are stopping at the Pelham house.

—At 5:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon a bicyclist named McKerron, whose home is on Hano street, Allston, collided with one of G. F. Richardson's teams on Beacon street near Summer street. McKerron's bicycle was badly damaged, but he escaped uninjured.

—The tenth anniversary of Trinity church was celebrated on Sunday, May 28. An historical address at the morning service was followed by the Holy Communion. Tomorrow the anniversary of the day of the month, there will be a church supper in the parish room, after which dresses will be made by Rev. Carlton P. Mills of Wollaston, who conducted the first services; Rev. Samuel G. Babcock of Hyde Park, in charge January 1 to July 1, 1880; Rev. Prof. M. L. Kellner, who conducted services occasionally. Supper will be served at 6:30 o'clock.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—Mrs. Shumway and children have returned from a visit at Groton.

—Mr. J. E. Hills, who was ill for a week or two, is now all right again.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hanson have returned from their trip to New York.

—Mrs. Waterhouse and child left Thursday for a stay of six weeks in Maine.

—Miss Cushing of Boston arrived at Mrs. Cobb's on Thursday for a summer stay.

—The next meeting of the C. L. S. C., will be with Mrs. Morse, Allerton road, next Monday, June 5.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Crowell of Allerton road are being congratulated on account of the birth of a son.

—Mrs. Emerson and her daughter, Mrs. Parsons of Bowdoin street, have gone to New York for a June stay.

—Miss Maria L. Brackett of Brooklyn, N. Y., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. H. Greenwood of Hartford street.

—Miss Annie Bryant of Columbus street entertained a number of her young friends at her home, on Monday evening.

—Next Sunday evening at the Congregational church the theme of the service will be: "An evening with American Hymn-writers."

—Mr. E. M. Norcross and family from Roslindale have moved into the house on Duncklee street, belonging to Miss Duncklee of Newton.

—Prof. Cheney and family, who have occupied the furnished house on Erie avenue, belonging to Mr. Clough, have left the Highlands.

—Mr. Richard Whight has taken the position of collector of tickets at the entrance to Norumbega Park, and has commenced his duties.

—Mr. J. T. Mackenzie, who has occupied a part of the two tenement house on Lincoln street, next the Stevens building, has removed to Cambridge.

—The Rev. Dr. Gallagher, associate principal of Lasell Seminary, Andover, will preach at the Methodist church next Sunday, morning and evening.

—The Rev. C. E. Harrington, D. D., of Waltham, will occupy the pulpit of the Congregational church next Sunday morning in exchange with the pastor.

—Mr. F. A. Watson and family have moved from Columbus place and taken an apartment in Mr. W. B. McMullin's new apartment house on Cook street.

—Mr. F. A. Walker, dealer in kitchen furnishings, has taken the house on Chestnut street, lately vacated by Mr. W. G. Smith, and belonging to Mr. E. H. Tarbell.

—A large number of our people started on a river party, going to Medway on Monday by railroad and returning on Tuesday by the Charles river, making a trip of fifty miles.

—On Decoration Day an athletic contest took place on the common, and Charles Rhodes of the Highlands took first and Franklin Wood of Waban, second prize, for all round athletics.

—At the annual dinner of the Meadville Alumni, an association with 175 members, held at the U. S. Hotel, Boston, Wednesday, Rev. Wm. S. Jones was re-elected Secretary and Treasurer.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Williams of Norman road announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Florence May, to Mr. W. A. Edwards, of New York City, formerly of Boston.

—At the morning service, All Souls Unitarian church, Highland Club hall, next Sunday at 10:45, Mr. John B. Day of Harvard University school will preach. Rev. Wm. S. Jones will preach at the Church of the Unity, Worcester, next Sunday. This is the church that Senator Hoar attends.

—The sixth chapter of 1st Timothy, and the sixth of the epistle of John, will be read at the women's meeting next Tuesday at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. E. Corning Wheeler, 24 Montfort road. Question: "Are you a follower of Christ for His Righteousness, or for the loaves and fishes?" Mrs. Sarah M. Morgan is expected to be present to lead the meeting.

—Mrs. Shaw, the retiring president of the Mount Auburn club, gave a reception to the members on Wednesday, and there was a large attendance. Piano solos were given by Mrs. Knight and Mrs. Shumway. Some hard conversations were asked, and quite readily solved, on account of the mental acuteness of the club, very creditable to them. Light refreshments were served, which served to help make the occasion a very enjoyable one.

Woodland Park Hotel.

Miss Lalor and Miss Crimmins of New York were at the hotel last week visiting their nephew, Mr. Thos. Crimmins.

Col. L. G. White and wife of Worcester spent Saturday and Sunday at the hotel.

A lullaby party of fourteen people dined at the hotel on Saturday evening.

The Cornell baseball team was quartered at the hotel during their stay in Boston.

John A. Stetson and wife, Boston, A. C. Thomas and wife, West Newton, Mrs. Calvin Stevens, Boston, arrived on Saturday for the season.

Geo. W. Grant, vice-president Third National bank, and C. F. Allen spent a few days at the hotel last week.

Mrs. S. M. Parsons of Springfield was a guest of Mrs. Kellner Sunday.

A. C. Hill, president of the Equitable Life Insurance, arrived on Monday for a few months' stay.

Fifty members of the Press Bicycle club of Providence, R. I., and Boston, rode out for dinner on Tuesday.

The catering for the G. A. R. dinner on Memorial day was done by Mr. Butler.

Mr. Butler catered for a party of 50 at City hall at day Memorial day.

Upwards of 100 transients registered for dinner on Tuesday.

THE MAGIC PILLOW.

What? Bedtime come again for me?

Well, what care I for that? It may be I'm not weary yet.

Or all my play and chat?

It may be I would like to stay

Here at my daddy's knee.

Yet, since 'tis bedtime, I'll depart

As happy as can be.

And let me whisper in your ear

Why I'm prepared to go—

Most boys are never ready when

Their bedtime comes, you know.

But, as for me, as long as I've

My pillow 'neath my head

You'll never find me sitting up

When I should be in bed.

For when I whack it with my fist,

To make it sort of soft,

And lie face downward, then I see

More stars than glow aloft.

And stars that twinkle there

Holds lots of wondrous things,

Like big parades and circuses

And animals and kings.

And some are filled with brownies bold,

Who prank with main and might;

Another's filled with peek-a-boos,

Who peek a boo all night.

So why should I prefer to sit

Down stairs, a sleepyhead,

When I can see these wondrous things

Whenever I go to bed?

—John Kendrick Bangs in Woman's Home Companion.

JUANITA.

The little town of San Carlos is so much like the little Mexican town that it hardly needs any careful description. Lying as it does in the heart of that vast wilderness of old Mexico, a tiny patch of green on the face of the sun scorched earth, it seems insignificant to a degree, and naturally it is not down on the map—such towns rarely are. Its few fields, bravely struggling against heat and drought, are but sparsely watered by a little creek which flows from a ravine close by and which seems to disappear into the thirsty earth a few hundred yards farther on. San Carlos itself is composed merely of a few gray adobe houses clustered together around a square little plaza and the remnants of what had once been a tiny chapel, half a hundred of years before by the old Spanish fathers, and still standing, a crumbling, time worn monument to their memory.

All through the burning daytime the place seems almost deserted, and the fierce tropical sun sails on its way overhead in undisputed supremacy. The little plaza is always empty and the intense heat rising from the ground makes the streets the objects round about dance to one's eyes. Even the host of dogs has vanished and the place bears the appearance of a veritable village of the dead, so still and quiet is it.

But in the evening, when at last the sun has gone and only the brilliant color in the sky remains, and when the breeze begin to come down from the distant mountains, then it presents quite a different aspect. Around the open doors of the adobe houses lounge the male inhabitants of San Carlos, for the most part lazily puffing their long, fragrant cigarettes or gathered in little knots discussing the latest bit of news, though now news ever reaches San Carlos is a mystery indeed. Above an open fire in front of each hut swings a substantial iron kettle in which the evening meal of stewed tunas has already begun to simmer, and around these fires hover the women, looking for the most part as ill kept as the men. Dirty little naked children sprawl around on the beaten clay of which the floor of the plaza is composed, and dirtier dogs romp and tumble over them.

Yet picturesque as was the little town here Juanita had lived all the happy 18 years of her life, and right here she was contented to stay until she should be laid away beside her sleeping grandfathers and great-grandfathers in the little graveyard beside the chapel, for she loved the dear old town, and possibly because she knew nothing of the great world beyond—she never even thought of leaving it. Then, too, there was another and still stronger reason—her father, old Don Jose, had promised her to the son of his oldest and dearest friend, who had fought with him years before in the war with the hated Americans and who had been wounded in the battle of Cerro Gordo before the famous old City of Mexico itself. Now, secretly, this was just what the young people had desired. Pedro and Juanita had grown up together from childhood. They had been constant companions, and were they not the handsomest couple in the whole broad valley? Had not Juanita all her father's looks as he was young, which united to those which Pedro owned, would make them the largest, handsomest in the village? It was certainly a most desirable match, and the two old men congratulated each other as old men will who have seen their fondest hopes fulfilled, and emptied many a sparkling cup to the health of Pedro and his fair young bride.

Now Juanita was sorely troubled. Everything had gone along smoothly as ever until one day something had happened which did fair to upset all their plans for the future. On a certain bright morning there had ridden up to the door of her father's hut one of a band of Americans who were prospecting in the gray mining wastes of the country. He was a fine looking young fellow, and for a man who had been prospecting for two years under the fierce sun of old Mexico he was remarkably fair, and then his blue eyes had a frank expression about them which was far different from the ever suspicious glance which characterized the men of that quaint country. He wore the usual dress of men of his occupation, loose blue flannel shirt and corduroy trousers tucked in at the top of his heavy boots, a red handkerchief knotted carelessly around his neck and huge Mexican spurs dangling from his heels.

Juanita had been standing in the little opening on the opposite side of the house and had not seen him until he was almost beside her, so that it appeared to her as if he must have suddenly sprung from Mother Earth.

Harding had seen her about the same instant she had seen him, and as he doffed his wide sombrero and asked in imperfect Spanish to see the don unconsciously his pulse quickened. Juanita was really a very beautiful Mexican girl, by far the most beautiful creature he had seen during the whole course of his stay in that dismal arid country, and the expression on the girl's face flattered him not a little. Still he had almost forgotten her when he had finished bargaining with her father for provisions for himself and his men, which he did at last succeed in getting only by the payment of a fabulous sum, and when he turned and saw her standing where he had left her he started and would have spoken had he not felt the piercing little black eyes of Don Jose fastened upon him. As it was, the old man detected the start and ordered his daughter hastily into the house.

Ever since that time Juanita's thoughts had been in dire conflict with one another,

and late that night when all was quiet in the village she had crept noiselessly into the little chapel, and, kneeling before the time worn image of the holy mother, had prayed, with tears streaming down her cheeks, that she would direct her and help her to forget. But far up among the hills on the great range that overlooks San Carlos the prospector was standing alone, whistling softly to himself and gazing down into the wide plain at his feet. Some little distance behind him his companions lay sleeping, and on a flat rock which answered for a table some one had overturned the coffee pot, and a dark oozy stream was slowly running down the side. One of the men moved a little in his sleep. Harding started and looked around at him. Then as the moon rose slowly above the peaks behind him he turned, knocked the ashes from his pipe, wrapped himself up in his blankets and without more ado was sleeping soundly.

Nearly a week passed and the feeling of restlessness which for a time had possessed Juanita had nearly been forgotten when again Harding rode into San Carlos. Poor little Juanita! All her attempts to forget him had been in vain then, for as she saw him come into the plaza her heart gave a great bound for joy, and she flushed, and her olive skin to the tips of her dainty fingers. The flush suited her dark face and heightened its beauty, thought Harding, as dismounting, he asked if Don Jose were in. As luck would have it, he had gone over to see a friend, and the two fell into conversation. She was shy at first, but the evident ease of her companion finally set her last fear at rest, and when the old don returned she parted the hands of friends and with an understanding that they were to meet again down by the old well hidden away in the little ravine outside the town. After an hour's talk with her father Harding again left the house, and swinging himself into the saddle, rode carelessly out toward the hills.

A mile or so from the town he made a slight change in the direction he was taking, and so little by little headed for the ravine. Just as the sun went down Harding reached the well, and after turning his pony to nibble the juicy blades of grass which grew around it threw himself down to wait. He had been there perhaps ten or three hours when the bushes were parted gently and Juanita came toward him. She had slipped away, she said, while her father and Pedro sat smoking and had come as she had promised, but she must hurry, for the time was short and her absence would be noticed. Little by little between questions and promptings she told him all her brief life history, of Pedro, of her father's wishes, and lastly of her own new love for him, and when at last she could say no more she stood looking up to him, her eyes full of the love she had just confessed, until he took her in his arms and kissed her.

In the same instant they were startled by a sound behind them. Don Jose, a face pale with fury, stood scowling at them. Chokingly he ordered the girl away, and when she was gone he turned to Harding, "Curse you!" he said. "You shall pay for this—Santa Maria, do Americano!" and disappeared as quickly as he had come.

There was no mistaking that, and the young fellow knew that if he stayed where he was his life would not be worth the waiting. His first fear was for Juanita. Loosening his revolvers in his belt, he mounted his pony and rode slowly toward San Carlos. Some moments had passed in this way, and he had almost reached the mouth of the ravine, when he saw a figure coming swiftly toward him. An instant later he recognized Juanita. The poor child was almost exhausted from running.

"Go! Go!" she sobbed. "They are going to follow you, Don Jose and Pedro. They will kill you if you stay. Ah, no, not now," she cried, as Harding held out his arms to her. "They will find me here with you, and then"—and then as the impulse seized her she flung herself into his arms and sobbed as if her heart would break.

She had not been a moment too soon, for even as she spoke the sound of galloping hoofs reached them, as riding furiously toward the two pursuers dashed into the ravine. With one arm supporting the trembling girl Harding coolly unslipped his revolver and waited. The Mexicans were within 30 yards before they saw him, and then as they opened fire with their uncertain aim he slowly raised his own weapon and pressed the trigger. With a bitter curse on his lips one of the men pitched forward from the saddle and fell to the ground. One more shot came from the remaining man before the revolver spoke again, and Harding heard a smothered cry, and as he saw the riderless horse plunge past him and vanished up the ravine. Then he put up his revolver and turned again to Juanita.

She was strangely quiet as she gazed up into his face and smiled. A quickly spreading stain over her fair young breast told him the reason at a glance. That last bullet of Don Jose had found a mark, and as the shouts of alarm reached them from the village, whether the horse had gone, the light faded slowly from Juanita's eyes and they closed forever.

For some moments Harding did not move; then he laid her gently down beneath a lonely little willow, kissed once the fair, bloodless lips and, mounting his pony, rode out of the ravine past the dead bodies of the two Mexicans, and with his head sunk deep on his breast turned his horse's nose toward the distant mountains, on whose summits the last beams of the waning moon still lingered.—H. A. Webster in Yale Courant.

They Eat 'Em.

A southern man who recently returned home after a visit to Boston said to a neighbor, "You know these here little round white beans?" The other admitted that he did. "We feed 'em to horses down our way."

"Yes."

"Well, sir, up to Boston they take them beans, boil 'em for three or four hours, slap a little sawbowl and some molasses and other truck in with 'em, and what do you suppose they do with 'em?"

"Gosh, I do no."

"Well, sir, I did the first speaker sentimentally. 'I'm hanged if they don't eat 'em!'—Atlanta Constitution.

Never Thought of Rounds.

"That fellow laid for him," said the man who had been reading the sporting news, "and gave him a solar plexus blow in the fourth."

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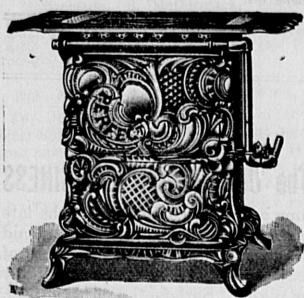
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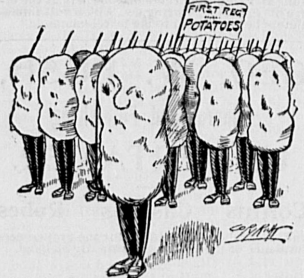


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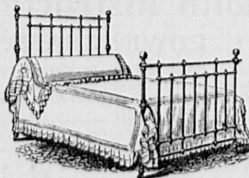
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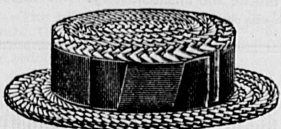
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—Shirt repairing, see Blackwell's adv. If
—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Collins of Mt. Ida street have been entertaining friends.
—Mrs. Everett T. Ryder of Centre street has been ill at her home the past week.
—Dr. D. G. Harrington is reported very ill at his home on Newtonville avenue.
—Col. A. M. Ferris and family left this week for their summer home at Wood's Hill.
—Mrs. Eugene W. Hill of Kenrick street is slowly improving from her recent severe illness.
—Rev. E. H. Byington of Franklin street returned Monday after a few days' absence.
—Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Adams of Church street have been entertaining friends the past week.
—Miss Maggie Jamieson will spend her vacation at her old home, Hillside Farm, Nova Scotia.
—Mr. William Dawson of the postoffice is in Providence, R. I. this week, on a three days' bicycle trip.
—Beatrice Haley of 9 Fayette street, reported to the police Tuesday evening that Tuesday afternoon she was bitten by a dog on Rockland place.

The engagement is announced of Miss Lily C. Sargent, eldest daughter of Mr. R. R. Sargent of Jefferson street to Mr. Chas. H. Capelle of Brighton.
—Mr. Edwin R. Leib of Church street was among the graduates from the Boston University school of medicine, the class day exercises being held in Boston last Monday.

Kenneth Mallon Blake was the first marshal at the M. T. club day exercises at Huntington Hall, Boston, Monday, and was voted the highest honors at the hands of the class.
—Mr. Stephen Moore of Hunnewell avenue and Edward B. Earle of Galen street have been elected directors of the Evangelical Baptist Benevolent and Missionary society.

At the meeting of the State Federation of Women's clubs Mrs. Electa N. L. Walton of West Newton was chosen one of the vice-presidents, and Mrs. Adelaide N. Blodgett of the Social Science club was elected treasurer.

Hose 1 company extinguished a lively blaze in a vacant lot off Jefferson street at 10.30 last Saturday morning. A large pile of rubbish had been set on fire by boys, and destroyed a portion of the fence before it was extinguished.

Mr. Frank D. Frisbie of Centre street was the best man at the wedding of his cousin, Mr. Fred Allan Wilson of Nahant and Miss Alice Perkins Campbell, daughter of Ex-U. S. Marshal Clark Campbell, held in the Congregational church at Mount Vernon, N. H., on Tuesday.

The store-keepers make great complaint of the dust from the railroad station yard, which blows in clouds through the stores, as the watering carts do not go through the yard this year. The store-keepers pay for watering the streets, and think there ought to be some way to compel the railroad company to keep its drive-way from being a nuisance to the neighborhood. It would cost the railroad company only a small sum to keep the dust laid inside its own grounds and for the comfort of its own patrons this should be done.

Wednesday morning, at the church of Our Lady on Washington street, was solemnized the marriage of Mr. Michael O. Gallagher and Miss Julia Y. Nolan. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. Butler and witnessed by a number of relatives and friends. The bride was gown'd in white and carried a bouquet of roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Mary Nolan. Mr. James P. Gallagher, brother of the groom, was best man. Mr. Michael Gallagher is a popular Newton Highlands letter carrier. After a short wedding journey Mr. and Mrs. Gallagher will reside on Crafts street, Newtonville.

Music in Eliot church Sunday:
MORNING.
Organ Prelude, Processional March in E flat. Salome
Processional Hymn. "The wings of a bird." Buck
Quartet, Ave Maria "Buck
Children's songs and carols. Buck
Organ Postlude, March in D. Buck
EVENING.
Organ Prelude, March of the Magi. Dubois
Anthem, "O for the wings of a bird." Mendelssohn
Choir hymn, "Abide with me." Barnby
Quartet, "One sweet solemn thought." Ambrose
Organ Postlude, Toccata in C. Bach

One reform that has been agitated is the matter of transfers at Oak square on the West End cars. If one wishes to go to the Coolidge corner from Newton, two fares are demanded, and if Newton people take a car that stops at Oak square, they have to pay another full fare to get to Newton. There is no reason why passengers should not be transferred free at Oak square, as they are at Dudley street in Roxbury, and in numerous other places, especially as it is so difficult to get to Newton, and the cars coming this way are never filled. Newton people want to the great expense of widening Tremont and Park streets for the West End tracks and they should therefore receive some consideration from the company.

Mr. Stephen Moore was one of the speakers at the annual June Festival and Ladies' Night of the Congregational Sunday School Superintendents' Union in Boston, Monday evening. His text was the receipt of the Rev. E. Pelham Williams of Massachusetts against Sunday schools, and he said if he is right, a round million of teachers in this country are wrong. Their work proves them to be intelligent, consecrated and successful workers in the cause of Christ. They are beginning instruction when the mind is receptive and retentive, and statistics show the Sunday school the most vital force in building up church membership. He pointed out that all through sacred history God has worked with simple things; God, with the weakest, is a force that can save the world. He is with Sunday school workers, and no one of them should despair for a moment.

Two supposed men thieves gave Patrolman Al Haynes of division 1 a lively chase shortly before 3 o'clock Tuesday morning. Haynes was standing at the corner of Jewett and Washington streets when he saw two men leaving the yard of the Soule estate on Jewett street. He called to them to stop, unheeding his cries, the men started to run. Jumping the iron fence between Washington street and the Boston & Albany tracks, both men hurried down the embankment, with Haynes in hot pursuit. Turning in a westerly direction the suspected thieves headed toward Newtonville. Patrolman Haynes pulled his revolver and fired several shots. The fleeing men did not slacken their speed, but one of them dropped a bag. The patrolman finding it impossible to overtake the men, picked up the bag and returned to police station 1. The bag was found to contain three chickens, which, from all appearances, had been but recently killed. Several cases of hen thieving have been reported to the police of late, though none of the complaints have

come from the neighborhood in which this chase occurred.

—Mrs. Crosby of Richardson street has removed to New York.

—Miss Emily Harvey of St. Johnsbury, Vt., is visiting friends here.

—Rev. S. L. B. Spence preached at the Baptist church last Sunday.

—Mr. Pitt F. Parker of the Y. M. C. A., is away on a fishing trip in Maine.

—Mr. Nichols of Sargent street returned yesterday from a trip to Alabama.

—The exterior woodwork of the Public Library is being repainted this week.

—Mr. Horace Crocker and family are spending the summer at Hough's Neck.

—Miss Hattie E. Briggs returns today from a visit with friends in Gorham, Me.

—Mr. Fred Williams of Attleboro spent Sunday with relatives on Jefferson street.

—Mr. E. A. Whitney of Jefferson street is out of town this week on a business trip.

—Mr. H. A. Wilder returned yesterday from a trip to Old Point Comfort, Virginia.

—Mr. G. A. Taylor and family of Park street have removed to Naples road, Allston.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Doane will spend the summer months at Winthrop Highlands.

—Robert H. Davis of Park street is spending the week at Harwichport on the cape.

—Mrs. Wm. H. Davis of Park street returned yesterday from a short stay at the cape.

—The Newton cricket team will play the B. A. team tomorrow afternoon at Longwood.

—Mr. and Mrs. White and daughter of Malden have rented a suite of rooms in the Taylor building.

—Mrs. C. H. Crocker and daughter Mildred, of Channing street, are spending a few weeks at the cape.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Lapham of Billings Park, left yesterday for Hull, where they will spend the summer.

—Mr. Marshman, janitor of the library, accompanied by his wife, will leave the first of July for a trip to England.

—The Men's Meeting at the Y. M. C. A., at 4 o'clock next Sunday, will be led by Mr. Edwin A. Lincoln of Medford.

—Col. A. M. Ferris and family left this week for their cottage at Woods Hole, where they will spend the summer.

—Rev. Julian C. Jaynes of West Newton preached a very interesting sermon at the Channing church, last Sunday morning.

—Mr. Joseph Boles has severed his connection with the Wright Drug Company, and entered the employ of a Waltham firm.

—Mr. C. S. Packard of Galen street has been appointed janitor of the Baptist church, which Mr. Geo. B. Hartop resigned.

—Dr. Daniel Sullivan, who has been spending a few weeks with his parents on Church street, has returned to his home in Dorchester.

—The Y. M. C. A. base ball team will try conclusions with the strong Wellington's tomorrow afternoon, on the Newton Centre playground at 3 o'clock.

—The many friends of Mr. C. Harry Stone of Newtonville avenue, will be pleased to learn that he is able to be out after his recent severe illness.

—To-night at Eliot church will be held the monthly missionary prayer meeting, the subject being "The Work of the Sunday School and Publishing Society."

—At the meeting of the State Federation of Women's Clubs held at Natick, Tuesday, Mrs. Adelaide N. Blodgett of the Social Science Club was re-elected treasurer of the State Federation.

—The annual June festival of Eliot church was held at the church last evening. A delightful entertainment was provided the first part of the evening, after which cake and ice cream were served.

—Children's day will be observed at the Methodist church next Sunday. In the morning the pastor will preach a special children's sermon, and in the evening, the annual children's concert will be given.

—Rev. William H. Davis has returned from Atlanta, Georgia, where he delivered the graduation address to the students of Atlanta University. Rev. Dr. Davis has been chosen a trustee of the University.

—Miss Perkins, who has been the guest of Mrs. H. S. Leonard of Newtonville, has returned to her home in New Haven. While here, Miss Perkins spent some time studying kindergarten methods.

—The last session of the Sunday school of Channing church, before the vacation, will be held next Sunday morning at 12. The school will open again in September on the first Sunday after the opening of the public schools.

—The ladies of Grace church are to hold a strawberry festival on the lawn of the church grounds, tomorrow afternoon and evening, from 3 to 9 p. m. A large tent will be set up, and a very enjoyable time is assured all who attend.

—Two Wellesley & Boston electric cars came together in the spur track at the corner of Washington street and Commonwealth avenue, last Saturday evening. The passengers were badly shaken up, but no one was seriously injured.

—Mr. George H. Bailey of Boyd street is a member from the 34th division Mass. Naval Brigade on the membership committee of the Mass. Naval Brigade Veterans Association of the Spanish-American War, an organization representing 500 men, who saw active service.

—In spite of the dry weather the Japan roses in the station yard look flourishing, and they are just now in full bloom. They have been surrounded with red clover, and it makes a very pretty effect. The Boston & Albany gardeners have taught a lesson, and that is the fine effects that can be obtained from our common shrubs and plants, and no railroad has more attractive surroundings for its stations.

—The rhododendrons on the grounds of the Eliot Sunday school have their annual June Festival this afternoon, on the spacious grounds about the residences of Messrs. J. Howard Nichols and Frank A. Day on Sargent street, and the children are anticipating a delightful time. These grounds have had their natural beauties increased by the most skillful gardeners, and are an ideal spot for lawn parties, on account of the numerous shade trees, and the many attractions in the way of rare shrubs and flowers. The owners evidently do not keep them for their own pleasure, but are generously willing to share them with their friends, and both Messrs.

Nichols and Day are much interested in the Eliot Sunday school.

—The artist haircutter, Burns, Cole's Bk.

—Mrs. I. D. Allen of Centre street leaves next week for Denver, Colorado.

—Miss Blanche Swainhart of Church street is recovered from her recent illness.

—Col. D. W. Farguhar and family left this week for their summer home at the Rangley Lakes, Me.

—Did it ever occur to you that your razor sharpened keenly is a pleasure. Burns can do it. Cole's block.

—Miss Augusta A. Lamb of Los Angeles, Cal., formerly of this city, was the guest of friends here this week.

—Rev. Christopher R. Eliot will preach next Sunday morning at the Unitarian church. Services at 10.30. All welcome.

—The Flower Mission is at the depot from 7.45 to 8.45 a. m., Tuesdays and Fridays. Flowers and fruit are very acceptable.

—Edwin A. Lincoln of Medford will lead the Y. M. C. A. Boy's meeting, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. This will be the last meeting of the season, and a large attendance is desired.

—The new Elmwood stables now shelter 90 horses. This is the largest number contained in any livery stable in this vicinity. Mr. Bush has added a new carriage, equipped with rubber tires, for livery purposes.

—At the Eliot church next Sunday, there will be an observance of Louise Hart, a Sunday school concert by the younger pupils will take the place of the usual morning service. The exercises will include a baptismal service, and presentation of Bibles to some of the children.

—The marriage of Patrolman Richard J. Goode and Miss Katharine Louise Hart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Hart of Auburndale, will be solemnized Wednesday evening, June 21. A reception will follow the ceremony, at the home of the bride's parents on 37 Freeman street, Auburndale.

—Fine specimens of the Virginia Lutea are now in flower at the residence of Mr. John C. Chaffin. The display of Hardy Perpetual Roses, at this place, is also very good considering the unpromising weather, and some fine blooms may now be seen. Open to the public Saturday afternoon, June 10th.

—Sunday will be Decoration Day for the firemen of the city, and those who wish to contribute flowers are requested to leave them at Engine One's house, before 3 o'clock, Sunday morning. A detail of firemen will decorate the graves of the deceased members of the city fire department.

—The auditorium of Grace Episcopal church was filled last evening by a representative music-loving people of Newton, who thoroughly enjoyed the rendering of Gounod's oratorio of "The Redemption" by the vested choir of forty men and boys.

The director was Mr. E. A. Drew, West Newton; Messrs C. N. Sladen, W. B. Hayes, A. B. Potter and Everett S. Glines.

—The following from Newton were graduated at the Institute of Technology, this week: James W. Allen, Newtonville; Kenneth M. Blake, Newton; Philip Burgess, Newtonville; Herbert P. Steadman, Newtonville; Charles D. Drew, West Newton; Edward R. Hammond, Newton Centre; Harry G. Johnson, Auburndale; Fred L. M. Kimball, Lower Falls; Fred R. Sites, Auburndale; Lawrence C. Soule, Newtonville.

—Co. C of the Fifth Mass. Infantry, U. S. V., met at the Armory last evening, for the first time since their return from Greenville, S. C., and re-organized the militia company. Captain Springer took command and some 30 company members were present. Arrangements were made to have the usual weekly drills, and as soon as company matters are running smoothly, applications will be made for an election, and non-commissioned officers appointed.

—Newton was largely represented in the graduates of Boston University. The following degrees were awarded: A. B., Lennox H. Lindsay, West Newton; Elizabeth Moore, Newtonville; Herbert P. Steadman, West Newton; Ph. B. Clara B. Cooke, Newtonville; Alice L. Mandell, Newton; Edith M. McCann, Newton Centre; Frank A. Shinn, Newton. Francis E. Smith of Newton was graduated from the law school with a "cum laude" and F. J. McConnell of Newton Upper Falls was made a doctor of philosophy.

—During the past week many thousands availed themselves of the direct electric to Norumbega Park, from Newton. And yet, while Norumbega was the objective point of the larger part of the travelers, the Newton Boat Club and grounds were also equally convenient. The cars stop just as they enter the curve into the park, and the conductor announces, "The nearest point to Newton Boat Club and Riverside." Leaving the car here it is but a few minutes' walk through Evergreen avenue to the river bank, and all the boat houses on the river at Riverside. Under the old system, many left the cars at Bourne street, but far it is much shorter and easier to get to the river through Evergreen avenue.

The recreation grounds have been placed in fine order by Mr. Hubbard. They were never so well arranged and adapted to the sports and pastimes of the people as they are today. The swimming pool has been placed under the charge of John A. Leavitt, champion half mile swimmer of America.

OVER 1700 SIGNERS.

THE FULL LIST OF SIGNERS TO THE SCHOOL BOARD PETITION WILL BE FOUND IN THIS PAPER.

Public attention is called to the list, printed in to-day's GRAPHIC, of 1700 signers to the address to the school committee concerning the continuance of Mr. Aldrich's service as superintendent of schools. We believe a survey of the list will be convincing that it is very fully representative.

When it is considered that there was almost no personal canvassing; that most of the names were voluntarily sent in response to a circular of invitation addressed only to voters; and that they represent in number considerably more than one third of the votes usually cast in a city election, we believe that the school committee cannot fail to recognize the weight of the request, and re-select Mr. Aldrich unless they can show sufficient public reasons for a different course.

We therefore advise the renomination of Mr. Aldrich for election this month, or at least his provisional re-election until such time as the citizens shall have had an opportunity to express themselves at the polls.

The special committee appointed at Woodland Park Hotel
By JAS. RICHARD CARTER, Chairman.
Newton, June 9, 1899.

Not Known in Newton.

The man giving the name of Charles Reed of Newton, who, it is alleged, committed suicide at Hotel Gladstone in Boston, last night, is not known in Newton. There are two men of this name in Newton, but who are not the alleged suicide.

About 1 this morning, Lieut. Mitchell of police headquarters, detailed his patrolmen to make a thorough canvass of the city, but nothing was learned.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

The extreme high temperature of Monday evening did not shorten the board of aldermen's session, and the oratorical members were just as active as during the cold weather.

Not all the members were present, yet a large amount of unimportant business was disposed of.

President Knowlton called the board to order at 7:45. The first business, a hearing on taking land for sewer in Virginia road, Ward 3. No one appeared and the hearing was immediately closed.

NORUMBEGA PARK.

When the hearing relative to the zoological question at Norumbega Park was opened, Mr. Curtis Abbott, representing three men of Auburn, who have suits in equity against the company, was the first speaker.

His remarks did not refer to the alleged animal nuisance at the park, but were made that the board might understand there was a suit, regarding certain land, against the company.

An attorney, who neglected to mention his name in addressing the board, appeared for those residents who objected to the merry-go-round's organ, the wolves and the peacock.

His remarks in effect were that his clients found it difficult to sleep at night because the wolves howled solos and duets and that the peacock behaved in a manner that disturbed the still watches of the night.

He neglected to state the peacock's behavior and his mention of the bird caused a general laugh.

Mr. Cladin was the next speaker. He read several letters from those in charge of zoos in New York, Washington and other cities, which showed that the animals' quarters in these places were much nearer houses than those at Norumbega Park.

Mr. Ryder and Mr. Hall of Auburn made thoughtful remarks, the latter adding to that community, and felt the present conditions, as modified this summer by the management, perfectly acceptable.

After considerable business had been transacted it was voted to grant the Norumbega Park amusement company its original license.

It may be here stated, by way of explanation, that the organ on the merry-go-round this year is much smaller than that of last year, thereby decreasing the volume of orchestration.

OTHER HEARINGS.

were those of the Wellesley & Boston for a turnout at the corner of Commonwealth and Washington street, and a turnout on Washington street, West Newton.

No one appeared in remonstrance and both hearings were soon closed.

COMMUNICATIONS AND PETITIONS.

A communication was received from the school board requesting that two rooms of the Waban school be completed for occupancy.

The plans of the Bigelow school were presented and accepted, together with a communication on the subject from inspector of buildings G. H. Elder.

PETITIONS.

There were a number of small petitions, which were hustled through, some without reading. These included the following:

For relocation of street tracks on Beacon street, highway committee; for street widening on Chestnut street, highway committee; for one incandescent light on Hammond street, granted; for three street lights on Elm road, street light committee; for repairs to sidewalks on Fairmont avenue, highway committee; for settlement of land damage claim of W. H. Macne, special committee on claims; of W. B. McMullin to remove building, license committee.

The committee on fire department reported relative to a petition for a fire alarm box on Lenox and Valentine streets. It also recommended that it was inexpedient for the fire department to occupy its present quarters at Newton Lower Falls, and that a new house should be built.

LAND DAMAGES IN AUBURNDALE.

Two petitions signed by abutters and landowners on the Commonwealth avenue boulevard at Auburndale, were presented, asking that the special committee on claims be instructed to adjust claims on unsettled betterment assessments.

Immediately President Knowlton presented an order calling for the appointment of a committee of three, by the chair, for the purpose of considering the subject.

Alderman Ivy thought that President Knowlton should not make the appointment because he was more or less interested in Ward 4.

Alderman Knowlton turned his gaze over to Vice-President Bailey and went on the floor.

He declared his interest was to the extent that these residents of Ward 4, mentioned in the petition, should receive fair treatment. Errors had been made when the claims were adjusted, and the abutters were entitled to as much consideration as those of Ward 1 or any other ward in such a case.

Alderman Dana defended President Knowlton and thought Alderman Ivy's remarks a reflection on the chair. He motioned by the order and authorized the special committee to report to the board of aldermen before making any settlement, which was accepted, and the original order was adopted.

The committee appointed included Alderman Bailey, and Lathrop, and the board devoted much of the time to the consideration of several common victuaries' licenses. This subject, together with several unimportant hearings, consumed several hours, and at the time of the adjournment but few matters of importance, which it was expected would come before the board, were acted upon. A large number of orders were laid over and assigned for consideration at next Monday evening's meeting.

The claims committee reported that it had been unable to effect a settlement for \$750 with James Ford of Auburndale, and later an order notifying Ford that his buildings, fences and trees in the path of the Lexington street widening might be removed within 30 days, was adopted.

The committee on fire department recommended that a new house be erected on Grove street, Newton Lower Falls. The present house at Lower Falls occupies a site on Washington street, which was recently seized by the Metropolitan Park Commission. The new house, to be erected on Grove street, was recommended by the fire department committee, says, to remove the present house to the Grove street lot, making a new building necessary.

Monday evening the board voted to appropriate \$60,000 for dupe expenses and \$10,500 for the settlement of the claim of Jerome Bacon on account of the widening of Commonwealth avenue boulevard, at Newton Centre. The Bacon claim has been before the board for some years, and not until Monday evening was the matter disposed of.

Drink Grain-O.

after you have concluded that you ought not to drink coffee, it is not a medicine but doctors order it, because it is healthful, invigorating and appetizing. It is made from pure grains and has that rich brown color and tastes like the finest grades of coffee and costs about 1-3 as much. Children like it and thrive on it because it is a genuine food drink containing nothing but nourishment. It is the new Grocer's Grain-O, the new food drink. 15 and 25c.

ADVICE TO YOUNG MEN.

DR. HOVEY COUNSELS THE GRADUATING CLASS OF THE NEWTON BAPTIST THEOLOGICAL INSTITUTION.

The annual baccalaureate sermon before the graduating class of the Newton Baptist Theological Institution was delivered last Sunday morning, by the Rev. Dr. Alvah Hovey, at the Newton Centre Baptist church. Beside the members of the graduating class, a large congregation was present.

The service was particularly interesting, as it marks the 50th anniversary of Dr. Hovey's connection with the seminary.

Dr. Hovey took as his text, Romans 13:8, "Owe no man anything, save to love one another." He said in part:

Here is a rule, with an exception: but an exception which is greater than the rule. Let us look first at the rule, and then study the exception. Some debts are of such a nature that they can be paid once for all, and the obligation wholly cancelled. Such debts are contracted every hour in the common business of life, and similar debts are contracted every day in the protection of civil authority.

Paul refers to the latter in the verse just before my text: "Render to all their dues: tribute to whom tribute is due, custom to whom custom, fear to whom fear, honor to whom honor." Such debts must be incurred by every member of a well ordered society. They appear to be inevitable. But according to the apostle, they should be promptly paid. For, in a sense, "the borrower is servant to the lender," and it is certain that prolonged servitude impairs one's courage and influence, if not his character.

Yet the strongest reason why Christians should pay their debts punctually is that they are morally bound to do this. To refuse payment is an act of injustice; it is retaining possession of what is really another's without his consent. These, the words of Paul, do not protest against incurring any debt, for that is so necessary, but against neglect to pay what is due. Nevertheless, it is often wiser to avoid debts than to incur them, and pay them promptly. The earnings of the future should be mortgaged for business in the present. Above all, ministers of the gospel should beware of loading themselves with pecuniary obligations which they are not sure of being able to meet. In order to be useful they must be honest.

Bear in mind, then, that the Roman Christians were exhorted by the holy apostle to meet all their pecuniary and civil obligations promptly, that they should owe no one anything, with a single exception, that of loving one another. This exception is, however, far more interesting and important than the rule.

To love one another is a duty. A duty is something that ought to be done: more exactly, it is something that moral beings are under obligation to do. The idea of duty is, therefore, higher and more sacred than that of privilege or pleasure. It lifts us above the realm of mere instinct.

But what is "love," the love here recognized by Paul as a debt which we owe to one another? It is genuine good-will to others; a deliberate, voluntary, sympathetic, appreciative, fraternal interest in the well being of the persons loved. It is the sunshine of soul upon soul. It is self-forgetful and cherished activity of the spirit in thought and desire for the good of its object. It is not a blind impulse of the soul, going its own sweet way, without the reason of reason or the purpose of purpose, but it is a thoroughly rational service. What a Christ-like virtue is love!

But who are meant by "one another" in my text? The expression might be applied to all men, but it is not in Rome, addressed by Paul in this letter. But this restricted application does not agree so well as a broader one with the words that follow, in which Paul says that "we are all one another's neighbor." "Love works no ill to his neighbor; love, therefore, is the fulfillment of the law." Paul's debt of love was then to mankind, whether friendly or unfriendly. Another proposition founded on my text is this: To love one another is a perpetual duty. For this reason Paul makes it an exception to the rule, "Owe no one anything, save to love one another." It can never be collected, a duty that is continuous and lifelong. Let us take it to heart my brethren, that our obligation to maintain deep seated, energetic love to one another is never relaxed.

But how shall we maintain unbroken this gracious current of life? In several ways. To love one another is a growing duty. Growing knowledge creates a wider sphere of obligation. Increasing ability supposes increasing responsibility. To whom much is given, of him much will be required.

But, methinks I hear you say, what is appropriate action toward men that we never see? Love to most of them is useless, if not impossible. I am not so sure of that. The heart throbs of prayer reach out to embrace a million souls on the other side of the globe. We send our merchandise to every land; can we not send our thoughts as far? I should be surprised to learn that any of you could not reach the ends of the earth, and yet deny that it was greater in extent and importance with one's knowledge of men and power to do them good. Here, then, is a debt which grows with our growth, and strengthens with our strength, a duty which makes larger and larger demands upon us, until near the end of life, when our spiritual powers are sometimes weakened along with our bodily powers.

To love one another is a pleasing duty. The word "pleasing" is not as forcible as might safely be used in this connection. But it is sufficient for my purpose. Give the fact that the noblest powers of our nature are moral and religious, and it surely follows that a love, which is pervaded and supported by the vision of righteousness, the sense of duty must afford us the sweetest peace, and at times the keenest joy of which we are capable.

Perhaps the word "duty" seems to some of you abstract or impersonal, and therefore forbidding. If so, you may substitute for it the will of God, for duty is always an expression of God's will.

We cannot fail to see that we ought to be like our Heavenly Father in heartily seeking the good of "one another." And to do this very thing, this duty, is to fulfill the worthiest, the most delightful, and the most blessed function of life.

Brethren of the graduating class, I need not emphasize the greatness of the task to which you have devoted your lives. Words would fail me to express it. The obstacles which it presents to success are stupendous enough to appall the stoutest heart. Nothing short of a union of the highest motive powers of the souls can sustain you in this enterprise. But such a union is possible; nay, more, it is actual. We find reason and conscience blending with holy purpose and choice to produce a steadfastness in struggling with the world, the flesh, and the devil, and reminding us of the ministry of Jesus in the days of his work. If then the feeling of love to man ever seems to be losing its power over you, strengthen it by the sense of duty, invigorate it by the authority of conscience.

Let the whole force of your moral nature pour itself into your failing good will, and fill it with the elixir of righteousness. Avail yourselves to the utmost of conscience. It is the elder brother of love. Then will the beauty of the Lord, our God, be upon you, and the labor of your hands be established.

Health Statistics.

The Board of Health's report for May gives a total of 29 deaths, the greatest number from any one cause being 4 from pneumonia. Only one new case of diphtheria was reported. There were 8 cases of scarlet fever, 1 of typhoid fever, and 15 cases of measles, of which 128 were in Ward 4, and 11 in Ward 5.

FIFTY YEARS OF SERVICE.

DR. HOVEY'S WORK AT NEWTON THEOLOGICAL INSTITUTION—OBSERVANCE OF THE GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY.

A notable event in the history of the Newton Theological Institution is the semi-centennial celebration of the connection with the institution of the Rev. Alvah Hovey, D. D., the first part of which took place Tuesday evening in the First Baptist church at Newton Centre. The exercises were attended by a large congregation, including members of the board of trustees, alumni, members of the church, ministers from other churches and friends.

The remarks of the several speakers, which were highly congratulatory, were frequently interrupted by applause, and when the Rev. Dr. Hovey arose to respond he received an ovation. W. A. Munroe, president of the board of trustees, presided. The program commenced promptly at 7:30 o'clock with singing by the church quartet, after which Mr. Munroe spoke. He said, in part:

"We are gathered here to celebrate Dr. Hovey's 50 years of service at the Newton Theological Institution.

In 1849 Dr. Hovey began teaching Hebrew at the institution. Most of us can recall the day he came. Daniel Sharp was then the president of the board of trustees. Of the 900 graduates of the Newton Theological Institution all but a few have received instruction from Dr. Hovey. Some 100 men have sat in his classes.

"Tonight his pupils from far and near will arise and call him blessed. In behalf of the trustees I wish to express to you our appreciation of Dr. Hovey's work. We have loved him for his simplicity, the simplicity of clearness; we have loved him because he has the gift of plainness, the plainness which has enabled him to pass with judicial fairness on the every day questions of life.

"We have loved him because in the progress of his life we have seen him grow in hope strong and steadfast. 'A living hope,' incorruptible, undefiled, that fadeeth not away."

Following Mr. Munroe remarks were made by Rev. G. D. Boardman, D. D. of Philadelphia, representing the alumni; Prof. J. M. English, representing the faculty; Prof. F. H. Kertland, D. D., of the Newton Baptist Theological Seminary, representing the Baptist Theological seminaries; acting Pres. B. F. Clarke of Brown University, representing the colleges, and Rev. Dr. N. E. Wood of Boston, representing the churches and churches.

In response acting Pres. Hovey expressed his sincere thanks to the faculty and trustees, saying that this evening's tribute to him was what he hoped for, but not what he had felt he deserved.

WEDNESDAY'S EXERCISES.

At 8:45 Wednesday morning a special meeting of the alumni was held in the hall of the First Baptist church, Newton Centre, with Rev. T. D. Anderson, D. D., of Providence, R. I., president of the alumni and Prof. C. A. Reese of the Newton Theological Institution as presiding officers.

Nearly 100 members of the alumni association were present. The purpose of the meeting was to listen to the report of the special committee appointed a year ago to complete the establishment of an increased endowment fund. Class secretaries and members, representing nearly every class since the organization of the association, were present.

It was shown that considerable progress had been made and that \$854 had been pledged during the past year. It is expected that this amount will be more than enough to complete the fund. The report was made by acting Pres. Alvah Hovey's anniversary celebration was resumed with a service in the Newton Centre Baptist church at 10, Wednesday morning. An unusually large congregation filled the auditorium, including trustees, members of the faculty and church members.

Rev. T. D. Anderson, president of the alumni association, presided. He introduced and introduced Rev. H. M. King of Providence, R. I.

Dr. King's subject was "The Newton Theological Institution in the Last 50 Years." He said in part:

"This institution was founded Nov. 9, 1825, and the first instruction was given Nov. 25 by Ira Chace. The institution was incorporated Feb. 2, 1826, shortly thereafter Henry J. Ripley was appointed instructor, and later, with Prof. Chase, graduated the first class of the institution.

"In 1849 Dr. Alvah Hovey was called to the position of assistant instructor in Hebrew. Thus, over two-thirds of its life, Dr. Hovey labored to make the Newton Theological Institution what it is today."

The Rev. Dr. B. F. Clark, D. D., of Brown of English, Prof. Thomas and Prof. Reese. Of the 23 professors connected with the institution since its foundation, three have died and 14 resigned.

First among the heads of the department of instruction and five still remain in office."

Dr. King was followed by Pres. W. R. Harper, D. D., of the University of Chicago. His topic was "Theological Seminaries and Our Civil Institutions." The last speaker was Pres. C. D. Hartman, D. D., of the Hartford Theological Seminary, who spoke of "The Theological Seminary of the Future."

The semi-centennial celebration was brought to a close Wednesday afternoon. The exercises were attended by some 100 people, including prominent visiting clergymen, members of the alumni association, and of the board of trustees.

The alumni association convened in Bray hall at 7:30 p. m. The Rev. Dr. B. F. Clark, D. D., of Brown, D. D., president of the alumni association, presided. The semi-centennial dinner was then served, after which the following gentlemen spoke: Dr. Hovey, Dr. B. F. Clark, D. D., of Brown, on "Dr. Hovey in His Student Days;" Prof. E. M. Keirstead, D. D., Acadia University, on "Dr. Hovey as Professor;" Prof. G. B. Pope, D. D., of Colby College, "Dr. Hovey as President;" President H. G. Weston, D. D., of Crozer Theological Seminary, "Dr. Hovey as Exegete and Translator;" and Prof. W. M. Clarke, D. D., Hamilton Theological Seminary, "Dr. Hovey as Author."

After the addresses, the association held its annual meeting. The Rev. T. D. Anderson, president of the association, presided. The nominating committee presented the following names to be voted upon by the educational board as members of the board of trustees: George S. Dexter and C. H. Spalding of Boston, and H. Y. Colby of Dartmouth College.

The following officers were then elected to serve for the year: President, Charles L. White; vice-president, George W. Dyer; secretary, W. H. Whitcomb; treasurer, E. A. Capen; neurologist, M. F. Johnson; orator, J. B. G. Pidge.

From 4 until 6 o'clock President Hovey held an informal reception at his residence on Summer street. The trustees and members of the alumni association, as well as some 250 specially invited guests, were present. President and Mrs. Hovey received in the spacious parlors, standing before a bank of ferns and roses. The residence was attractively decorated with palms, tropical plants and cut flowers.

The exercises of the day were brought to an end by a service at 7:30 in the First Baptist church, President Hovey presiding. An interesting address on "The Progress in Theological Thought in the Last Half Century" was delivered by President A. H. Strong, D. D., of the Rochester Theological Seminary.

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High School Notes.

The annual out-door drill of the Newton High school battalion will be held June 17. The order of exercises will be, Battalion reviews, Capt. H. F. Greene; battalion drill, Capt. D. W. Hovey; rifle drill, Capt. W. G. Mandell; artillery drill, Lieut. H. C. Nickerson; signal corps, Sergt. Hampton; prize squad, Lieut. Leonard.

The Hull chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, have presented to the High school two very expensive pictures of George and Martha Washington.

Parker Johnson, 1900, has been elected captain of the baseball team for the ensuing year. Johnson is a fine all-around athlete and has played on the team for two years. The team will lose only one man this year in Leonard, second baseman and present captain.

The bicycle races in connection with the triangular meet will be held on June 17, at Charles River park.

The judges for the out-door drill will be Capt. Hollins, Joslyn and Whitney of last year's battalion.

Of course we must be satisfied with the result of the triangular meet, but it is plainly to be seen that had Newton trained hard and well, they would have pulled first place. In the first place we were crippled by the loss of our best man, Capt. Thompson, and we were plainly at a disadvantage in not having the referee a Newton man. Some good individual work was done by Leonard in the hurdles, Kenway in the pole vault and weight contests and Bowers and Frost in the mile and 880. Daniels won the 40 yard dash in very good time. In the sprints Greene won two thirds, but we had hardly expected to play with Thompson out and Laney and Maynard the other contestants to be feared. We will undoubtedly win every point in the bicycle races to be held June 17th at Charles River park. Next year the meet will fall easily to Newton as she will have a well-developed all-around team.

The base-ball season has closed. It has been very successful in some ways and in others it has shown the general athletic spirit which prevails among the scholars. First, the team has not been supported as it should have been, secondly, the men have been turned out, but their good work for the team. We have good material in the school for all our teams, no one can deny this; but the best men are too willing to let other teams win. An athletic director and more favorable training facilities should be provided by the school board. Certainly our athletic interests are no less important than school interests. Every one knows that all our teams with proper supervision—supervision which no captain, however proficient, can give and still do good work upon the team—would have a much better record. Championship teams have been turned out, but their good work was due rather to the individual merits of each man than to systematic training. Let us hope that we may, before many years, be provided with the necessary equipment and athletic supervision which we have needed since athletics became a part of school-boy life.

The most notable work done by any team besides the foot-ball and track teams has been done by the men who won the tennis tournament at Cambridge. The shield has been placed in the office and is cherished by every athlete for what it stands. We hope that next year Newton may be as successful in other sports, by winning the individual tournaments.

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NEWTON WATER SPORTS.

DIVING AND MANY SWIMMING EVENTS WITH MANY PROSPECTIVE COMPETITORS.

Much interest has been manifested in the annual water sports which will be held next Saturday afternoon in the swimming pool at the Riverside recreation grounds, and already a large number of entries have been made.

A feature of the afternoon will be canoe tilting, tub and relay races. These officials will be in charge: P. S. McNally referee, G. W. Rich starter, Dr. L. A. B. Street, Matthew Leary and W. A. Smith judges, John A. Leavitt, G. Holm and R. Johnson timers, J. B. Moran clerk of course.

Following is a list of the entries: 100-yard swim, open—Robert G. Fuller, Herbert D. Holm, Bradford McCormack, William L. Garrison, Jr., F. W. Phillips, W. L. Lillard and Walter Harrison.

Diving, under 14 years—Benjamin James, Francis Johnson, Joseph O'Laughlin, Leslie Rich and Lawrence McCormack. Plunge for distance, open—Robert G. Fuller, G. P. Moore, Albert McCormack, W. L. Lillard, A. S. Potter and M. B. Phillips.

Twenty-five yard swim, under 14 years—Benjamin James, F. Johnson, James O'Laughlin, J. W. Moran, L. Rich and L. McCormack.

200-yard swim, open—R. G. Fuller, W. W. Holm, W. L. Garrison, Jr., H. D. Holm, B. McCormack, F. W. Phillips and W. L. Lillard.

Diving, members of schools or colleges under 18 years—Francis Johnson and L. D. Somers.

Fifty-yard swim on back, open—L. D. Somers, H. D. Holm, G. P. Moore and W. L. Lillard.

Fifty-yard swim, members of schools or colleges under 18 years—L. D. Somers, A. McCormack, B. McCormack, F. W. Phillips and W. L. Lillard.

Submarine swim, open—G. P. Moore, Leslie Rich, W. L. Lillard and A. P. Potter.

Rev. Mr. Jaynes May Leave Newton.

Rev. Julian C. Jaynes, pastor of the West Newton Unitarian church, who has been named as a possible successor or assistant to Rev. Edward Everett Hale of the South Congregational church of Boston, was seen the other evening by a reporter.

Mr. Jaynes was unwilling to discuss the matter saying he preferred to remain silent for the present. When asked if he had had a conference with the standing committee of the South Congregational church he declined to answer.

The subject, he said, was not one of public importance at this time, and until something definite had been decided upon, he would not make any public statement.

Although refusing to state further his position in the matter, Mr. Jaynes hinted that overtures had been made by the standing committee, and that many friends had approached him regarding the acceptance of the South Congregational church pastorate. It was entirely through their efforts, he said, that he was called upon to consider any offer.

Whatever may be Mr. Jaynes' feeling, there are a number of prominent members of the West Newton Unitarian church who admit that the offer has been made to Mr. Jaynes, and express their fears that he is likely to accept it.

As a pastor, Mr. Jaynes is one of the most popular in Newton and is well known both in this city and Boston. He has occupied the position of pastor at the West Newton Unitarian church for 15 years and through his efforts the church society has greatly prospered.

There is a movement among the members of the West Newton Unitarian church to bring the subject to the attention of the church society that steps may be taken to retain Mr. Jaynes as pastor. Without doubt it has been largely through the influence of his friends that Mr. Jaynes' name had been brought before the standing committee of the South Congregational church for its consideration.

Lassell Notes.

The lecture upon "Birds," given in chapel on Thursday afternoon by Mr. F. J. Maynard of West Newton was one of extreme interest. Mr. Maynard brought with him several stuffed specimens of birds about which he was especially talkative, and this lent new interest to them. His familiarity with these little feathered friends of ours made many of those who heard him desire to become similarly well acquainted with them.

The banquet of the Lassell Instrumental club occurred on Thursday evening. Professor Hills was present, and all piano pupils, whether members of the club or not, were invited.

Mr. Winslow and Miss Kendrick, together with a small party of the students especially interested in college settlement work, visited on Friday evening the Hull street settlement to see the exhibition of needlework by pupils of the sewing classes, and paid a visit also on the same evening to Dennison house, on Tyler street.

The competing pupils of the third year cooking class were busily engaged in baking, on Friday, the various light, sweet, delicately browned loaves of bread, each of which its deft-fingered creator hoped would bring her the little gold prize for the best loaf. The result of the judges' deliberations thereon, which followed that evening, has not yet been made public.

A small party from the seminary attended the Sunday morning services in Wellesley's new chapel. Dr. McKenzie preached.

An excursion to Hunnewell's gardens to see the rhododendrons and azaleas now in bloom took a considerable number from the seminary on Monday and again on Tuesday afternoon.

The Dana hall concert on Tuesday evening was attended by a few from Lassell, who found the occasion a very pleasant one.

Dr. Hovey Interviewed.

[Springfield Republican.]

Rev. Dr. Alvah Hovey, who resigned the presidency of the Newton Theological Institute last year, has been identified with it for half a century as instructor, professor and president. His successor in the presidency is yet to be selected. Under his 30 years at the head of the institution 1000 men have been sent out to preach the doctrines of the Baptist faith. Dr. Hovey is 79 years old, and to-morrow and Wednesday his semi-centennial anniversary is to be celebrated as the feature of commencement week. The Boston Herald recently sent a man out to Newton to "write up" Dr. Hovey, and the city editor must have selected the baseball reporter for the task. Dr. Hovey, who was graduated at Dartmouth college in 1843, is made to say: "During my senior year at Dartmouth I was the pitcher on the college team, and I discovered the curve and how to make it. I made a great reputation all about the country for that reason. After I came here to Newton to study, the men protested against my playing, as they said that they could not hit my curves. Was anything more than the old game of 'rounders' played in 1843? It is for some of the veterans to tell us just how base ball was played 56 years ago."

AUBURNDALE.

—Mr. John Corliss of Pine street is a victim of malaria.

—Miss Mabel Jones of Auburn street is visiting friends in Brookton.

—Mr. J. Coleman of Islington road has purchased a new Gerish canoe.

—Mr. Thomas Hart of Freeman street left Wednesday for New York.

—Mr. Percy Bird of Lexington street has recovered from his recent illness.

—Mr. H. J. McAlvin of Melrose street is spending a few days in Lowell.

—Mr. Harry Pride is confined to his home on Melrose street by illness.

—Mr. Arthur Leighton of Lowell spent Sunday with friends on Islington road.

—Mrs. William P. Staples of Winona street is still ill at the Newton Hospital.

—A missionary concert was held at the Congregational church last Sunday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Williams of Boston were the guests of friends here last Sunday.

—Mr. Arthur Plummer of Lexington street left town this week on a business trip.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Pace of Commonwealth avenue have returned from Windsor, Vt.

—Communion services were held last Sunday morning at the Church of the Messiah.

—Mr. W. G. Hildreth of Ash street has returned after spending several months in the south.

—Mr. C. C. Burrage, who is stopping at the Woodland Park Hotel, sails for Europe this month.

—Over one hundred transient guests took dinner at the Woodland Park Hotel one day last week.

—Miss Minnie Winters has returned to her home in New York after a visit to relatives on Melrose street.

—Sunday evening next at 7.30 o'clock, Rev. Mr. Worth will speak at the Methodist Episcopal church on "Diplomacy." All cordially invited.

—Mr. Fred Batstone, formerly in the employ of the Commonwealth avenue street railway company, has gone to work for Johnson & Keyes.

—The highway committee was in this ward this week, viewing the buildings on Central street which will have to be moved in order to widen the street.

—Mr. Arthur W. Winslow and family of Woodbine street expect to leave soon for Buenos Ayres, South America, where they will make their future home.

—In the police court Monday morning Michael J. Mehan of Orris street, was found guilty on a charge of disturbance and fined \$20. The disturbance occurred about midnight on May 29.

—An alarm from box 4 at 9 Saturday morning was for a slight blaze at the residence of A. C. Farley, corner of Central street and Woodland road, Auburndale. The blaze was caused by painters burning paint from the house, and the damage was \$50.

—A bicycle accident occurred on Moody street, Waltham, last Friday evening, in which Robert Mains of this place was injured. He with several other cyclists was turning into Crescent street at Hall's corner when he collided with a tandem. The three riders were thrown with considerable force. Mains receiving the worst injuries. The fork and handle bars of the tandem were broken.

—Saturday the Recreation grounds will have its annual water sports under the direction of John Leavitt, professional champion half-mile swimmer. Mr. Leavitt has now 40 pupils in the high swimming tanks, and many of them have been training for these events. Entries have been coming in fast, some of them being as follows: James J. James of Brookline and Lawrence McCormick, diving and 25-yard swim; Robert G. Fuller, Brookline, 200-yard swim; Leslie Rich, Brookline, submarine swim; and William Lloyd Garrison of Braintree, 100-yard swim. Mr. Garrison is probably the fastest 100-yard swimmer in New England. These races will be a tryout for June 24, when the races for the amateur championship of New England will be held on these grounds. Mr. Leavitt will endeavor to lower his half mile record of 13m 10s.

—George P. Ford, claiming a residence on Haverhill street, West Somerville, pleaded not guilty, in the Newton police court Wednesday morning, to a charge of attempted larceny from the person of Henry B. Clark of Brookline. According to the government's testimony Mr. Clark was passing through the turnstile at the entrance to Norumbega park, early Tuesday evening when he felt a hand in his hip pocket. Fearing somebody was in the act of removing his purse, Mr. Clark shouted "My pocketbook!" Park policeman W. A. Breton was in charge of the turnstile at the time, and immediately placed his hands on Mr. Clark and the man behind him. The latter proved to be Ford. Both men were taken to the manager's office and interviewed, and later it was decided to place Ford under arrest. In the court the following morning Ford denied having made any attempt at removing Mr. Clark's purse. Judge Kennedy found probable cause and held Ford in \$1000 bonds for the grand jury.

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NONANTUM.

—Mr. Louis Mayall has purchased a canoe at Waltham.

—Mr. Ernest Greene spent a few days during the past week in Andover.

—Dr. Stearns has had some repairs made upon his house on Watertown street.

—Philip Gibson has opened a barber shop in Berofski's block on Watertown street.

—Miss Edith Chapman has just completed her sophomore year at Boston University.

—Mrs. Helen Marshall of Thomaston, Me., is visiting Mrs. Daniel Greene of Bridge street.

—Mr. Harold F. Greene led the Young People's meeting Sunday evening, at the North church.

—Next Sunday there will be special children's day exercises at the North Evangelical church. There will be a special sermon in the morning, and the usual Sunday school concert in the evening.

—The Nonantums are playing good baseball. For a team made up of amateurs they are very fast. Some very interesting games have been played already and a very good schedule has been arranged for the coming Saturday afternoons.

—The warm weather has brought out all Nonantum juniors and they can be seen every afternoon soothing their fiery spirits in the river Charles. The city has pro-

vided a bath-house for their use and while such accommodation can be had, it should be used.

—Martin Dorsey of Lincoln court has been missing from his home since June 3d. Dorsey is 38 years old and leaves a wife and several small children. No motive for his sudden disappearance has appeared and the officers have very little to base a clue to his whereabouts.

—For some time the officers have had their eyes open to the fact that in spite of the quiet, some liquor selling has been going on. Saturday night, Sergt. Purcell and the officers of station 4, raided the premises of Placide Sampson of Beach street, and found a small quantity of whiskey and wine. These kitchen bar-rooms have almost all been routed and it doesn't take long for the officers to close them up when discovered.

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NEWTON WOMEN PLAY GOLF.

REPRESENTATIVES OF FIVE CLUBS PLAY ON NEWTON CLUB'S LINKS.

Eighteen Newton women were entered in the women's handicap match played Wednesday afternoon on the Centre street links of the Newton golf club. The players represented these clubs: Newton Centre, Newton, Commonwealth, Chestnut Hill and Braeburn.

There were two prizes. The cut glass cup, silver mounted, offered by Mr. A. B. Cobb to the maker of the best net score, was won by Miss Charlotte Nichols of the Newton golf club, with 112 net. A silver medal, offered for the best gross score, by the Newton golf club, was awarded Miss Marjorie Phelps of the Braeburn golf club with 118 gross.

Before the match had been completed Miss E. F. Stone of the Chestnut Hill club, Miss N. F. Clements of the Commonwealth, Mrs. E. A. Rogers and Miss Rose Loring of the Newton were obliged to withdraw on account of the heavy rain.

The course of the Newton golf club is the most difficult of the Newton clubs for women. The scores:

	Gross	Net
Miss Charlotte Nichols, Newton	144	32
Mrs. Leonard Fowle, Braeburn	133	29
Miss Marjorie Phelps, Braeburn	118	0
Mrs. J. A. Daniels, Newton Centre	128	8
Miss M. Phelps, Braeburn	122	11
Miss A. Brooks, Newton	117	35
Mrs. A. B. Cobb, Newton	128	5
Miss Eleanor Frost, Braeburn	140	17
Miss Potter, Newton	163	35
Miss M. C. Friend, Newton Centre	146	14
Miss Sabin, Braeburn	132	18
Mrs. Henry Baily, Newton Centre	85	49
Miss Margaret Cobb, Newton	106	19
Mrs. W. B. Merrill, Newton Centre	188	39

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MR. POWERS FOR CONGRESS.

Congressman Sprague will not be in the field for re-election. It is said, owing to ill-health, and therefore there has been a general survey of the field to secure the best man available for the office. From reports that come from all parts of the district, it seems to be settled that the nomination this year will come to Newton, and Mr. Samuel L. Powers has been generally urged to accept a nomination. Assurances of cordial support have come to him from all over the district, and the Congressional District committee is said to be united in his favor, as the right man for the position.

From present appearances it does not look as if there would be any opposition to speak of, and this is a compliment to Mr. Powers is also a high compliment to Newton, whose claims to the nomination this year certainly ought to be recognized.

Mr. Powers is one of the ablest of the lawyers in Newton, and his business has been steadily growing for the last dozen years, until he has one of the most valuable lines of practice of any of the lawyers in Boston. His ability has been recognized by the corporations, which have sought his services, and he has had experience in this line which will be especially valuable to a legislator, as it has shown him just where the interests of the people need protection. There is no doubt that Mr. Powers will have a cordial support in Newton, as he has not been identified with any of the factions in our local politics, but has kept himself above them, while being interested in everything that would tend to advance the interests of Newton. Personally he is one of the most popular men in the city, and his prominence in the Newton Club and other social organizations have given him an unusually wide acquaintance both in Newton and all over the district.

WHO IS AT FAULT?

A careful investigation of the school department controversy discloses the fact that the present superintendent is not to be rejected because of any lack of competency on his part or defect in the organization of the department. Both his friends and his opponents concede his ability as an educator and administrator; both agree that the schools under his management have reached a high state of efficiency.

Inquiry into individual members, as well as the report of the proceedings of the informal meeting recently held at the Tremont building, seem to show that the difficulty is one of temperament. Whether the defect in temperament is with the superintendent, or with those members of the board who oppose him, is the vital question which we wish here to briefly consider. We understand that individual members of the board claim that it often happens that plans which they desire to see put into practice do not meet with the approval of the superintendent, hence, they claim that the interests of the schools demand that there should be a change in the office so that it may be filled by someone who is more agreeable to their wishes.

We submit that this contention should not be accepted without it is shown that it rests upon reasonable grounds; for if the particular plan that an individual member of the board wishes to see put into operation does not happen to meet with the approval of the superintendent, it by no means follows that its advocacy must be discontinued. It goes without saying that each member is at liberty to present his ideas on any subject pertaining to the conduct of the school department at any meeting of the board, and to ask that these ideas be adopted. It then rests with the board to determine what action should be taken in a given case. If the majority of the members of the board decide that the plan under consideration is not one which they can favor, it certainly is no ground for criticism of the superintendent that the majority of the board has taken his view of the matter; for one of the important functions of his office is to advise the board under just such circumstances as are here referred to.

It is certainly significant that the records of the school department almost invariably show that in the judgment of the board the superintendent's advice has been considered sound and hence has been followed. If members opposing Mr. Aldrich are doing so on the ground that his temperament is objectionable because their plans do not receive his endorsement and do not meet with the approval of their fellow members, it would seem as though the fault was theirs and not his. To sum up the matter, it would appear that while the opposing members of the board cannot among themselves agree to support the plans of each other, they have now rallied and are now joined together to force the retirement of Mr. Aldrich.

Evidently certain members opposing Mr. Aldrich desire, as superintendent, a man

whose back bone is somewhat pliable. Is this a qualification which is for the best interests of the schools? We think not.

SERIOUS BLOW TO REFORM.

The National Civil Service Reform League has, after mature consideration regarding the order of President McKinley, changing the civil service rules, pronounced it a backward step of the most pronounced character. It asserts that the order follows a long succession of violations of both the letter and the spirit of the law, of which it gives many instances. The immediate effects of the order have been underestimated, as it withdraws from the classified service not merely 3,000 or 4,000 places, but 10,109, as nearly as can be estimated. The effect is also more serious than this as it will be practicable to fill competitive positions of every description, without any examination whatever, by a system of transfers.

Instead of honestly and thoroughly enforcing the civil service law, as was promised in the national Republican platform, a system of general demoralization has been introduced, and no cases of violation of the law by any official have been even censured.

The commission is a non-partisan body, so that its conclusions will have to be accepted, and the only parallel to this letting down of the bars is found in the case of Governor Black of New York, who openly advertised his aim to take the starch out of the civil service law. The national administration, while openly professing devotion to the law, has taken the starch out of it as completely as Gov. Black did.

The commission closes its report as follows: Although, for the first time since the passage of the Pendleton act, important ground has been lost, it is hoped that the recovery of that ground will not be long delayed. The attempt made to take the "starch" out of the law in New York, with which this backward step is to be classed, has already resulted in a reaction that has placed the reform in that state in a more advanced position than ever before.

The league expects confidently that the enlightened public opinion of the country, which of late years has so vigorously pronounced itself in favor of the development and extension of the merit system, will not only prevent the restoration of the spoils system in any degree, but will rally for renewed efforts to carry the civil service reform movement to its final consummation.

How the better class of Republicans regard this violation of reform principles is shown by the New York Tribune, one of the most stalwart party organs. It says, "The Republican party and President McKinley accepted what had been done and promised to uphold it. They cannot break those promises without discrediting themselves with the people, and those who proclaim the new order of the president's concession to politics really represent him as breaking his promises. Yet they pretend to be his closest and most devoted friends. The modifications will be judged by their fruits, and if their first fruit is a season of joy for spoilsmen, there is too much reason to fear the final verdict will be that the tree was bad."

CITY TREASURER RANLETT asked for bids, this year, on publishing the tax sales, as the result of the criticism of the GRAPHIC last year, and the result is that the city will save between five and six hundred dollars, a saving which the tax-payers will appreciate. In other cities these sales are usually given out to the lowest bidder, and it is the wisest way to adopt such a policy here. The bids were opened last Saturday, and the lowest bid was that of the Newton Journal, which was awarded the contract. The price was \$16.87 a column, for three insertions, which is about a third of the price the Journal was paid last year when the contract was given out without competition. The call for the bids did not specify the kind of type, as is done in other cities, when solid nonpareil is the largest type allowed, but probably the City Treasurer will insist upon that size of type, as it would save the city one third over the kind of type that was used last year.

The full list of signers to the petition in favor of Superintendent Aldrich, will be found in this issue, and as it was not read at the school board meeting, the members of that board should cast their eyes over the names, and see the kind of people who have endorsed Mr. Aldrich. They represent all classes, and all sections of the city, and if some personal effort had been made to get signers, it might have been necessary to publish the whole Newton Directory.

We always have to expect a hot spell in June, but this year the record has been broken, as the mercury has gone higher than on any similar date in the memory of the oldest inhabitant. The strong wind tempered the heat somewhat, but for the mercury to get in the nineties in the first week in June makes people wonder what the summer has in store for us.

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PUPILS' CONCERT.

LASELL'S COMMENCEMENT BEGINS WITH DELIGHTFUL PROGRAM.

Lassell's commencement began last evening with a pupils' concert in the gymnasium of the seminary buildings at Auburn-dale.

The audience numbered more than 200, and included friends of the students from the various Newtons and out of town. Miss A. Louise Wood was the accompanist. The program:

Pianoforte quartet, Overture to Egmont, Misses Bailey, Cole, Koth and Dudley.
Song, Nymphs and Satyrs, Miss Cotton.
Violin, Cavatine, op. 41, Miss Cliskey.
Chorus, The River Rest, Misses Raymond, Flaherty, B. Cooke and Dudley and Orphean club.

Pianoforte concerto in D minor, adagio and finale, Miss Ashley and Mr. Mills.
Song, Fear Not Ye, O Israel, Miss Flaherty.
Pianoforte, nocturne in G, Miss R. E. Eshell.
Solo, Spirit Song, Miss B. Cooke.

Pianoforte, andante and Scherzetto, Misses Bailey and Cole.
Vocal quartet, The Little Brown Bee, Misses Raymond, Flaherty, B. Cooke and Dudley.
Pianoforte, Elegie, Miss Walker.

Song, Storm and Sunshine, Miss Dudley.
Organ, (a) A Grand Chorus, (b) Canticle Nuptial, Miss Ashley.
Song, L'Arletta, Miss Raymond.
Pianoforte, Barcarola, Miss Walton and Mr. Hills.
Solo and chorus, Young Love's Bride, Miss Case and Orphean club.

Newton Men in It.

A charter was issued yesterday to the Lexington & Boston Street Railway Company C. W. Smith treasurer, E. P. Smith clerk, the remaining directors being Alfred Pierce, W. H. Pierce, G. W. Sampson, M. A. Coughlin, A. E. Viles, Hiram Whittington, J. G. Chaffin, G. H. Poor, H. B. Parker, G. W. Morse, Peter Morrison, J. A. Pray, Sydney Harwood. The line of the road commences at Massachusetts avenue, Arlington Heights, running through Lexington and Bedford to Billerica, seventeen miles, with branches in Waltham and Billerica. The capital is \$170,000.

MARRIED.

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BERTRAND-GENRAS—At Boston, June 4, by Rev. Theophile Remy, Robert Bertrand and Louisa Genras.

COMEAU-BONNANFANT—At Malden, May 28, by Rev. J. J. Lyons, William ComEAU of Newton, and Helene Bonnannfant of Malden.

WHITE-LANDRY—At Newton, June 4, by Rev. J. F. Gilfeather, Paul White and Jane Landry.

GALLAGHER-NOLAN—At Newton, June 7, by Rev. E. T. Butler, Michael O. Gallagher and Julia Gertrude Nolan.

SHEA-CONRAD—At Newton, June 7, by Rev. J. F. Gilfeather, John Shea and Bessie Conrad.

KING-NEYLON—At Newton, June 7, by Rev. J. F. Gilfeather, Frank Michael King and Mary Margaret Neylon.

GREGORY-WILSON—At Newton, June 7, by Rev. G. W. Shinn, Joseph Gregory and Annie Wilson.

DIED.

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NEWTON CEMETERY CORPORATION.

The Annual Meeting of the Newton Cemetery Corporation will be held in the Chapel at the Cemetery on

Wednesday, June 14th,
at 3 o'clock P. M., for the election of Trustees for the ensuing year; to hear Reports from Committees and to transact any other business that may legally come before them. All lot owners are earnestly requested to be present.

EDWIN M. FOWLE,
Secretary.

Newton, June 2, 1899.

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Sheriff's Sale.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
MIDDLESEX, ss: April 1st, 1899.

Taken on execution and will be sold at public auction, at my office, in my dwelling house, No. 233 Church Street in Newton, in said County of Middlesex, on Saturday, June 24th, 1899, at nine o'clock A. M., all the right, title and interest that Alden M. Moore had on the 17th day of November, 1898, at one o'clock and thirty minutes P. M. (that being the time when the same was seized on mesne process) in and to the following described real estate, the record or legal title to which, at the time of said attachment, stood in the name of Mary L. Moore, to-wit: A certain parcel of land situated in Somerville, in said County of Middlesex, being lot No. 8 on "Plan of house lots for Horace Partridge, Somerville, August 8, 1887," Jana E. Perkins, C. E., recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, end of Book 2433, and bounded northwesterly by Norwood Avenue, 35 feet; northeasterly by lot 7 on said plan, 65.29 feet; southeasterly by lot 1 on said plan, 38 feet; and southwesterly by lot 1 on said plan, 64.92 feet; containing 2,474 square feet of land.

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ADDRESS TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF NEWTON.

ADOPTED AT THE MEETING AT WOODLAND PARK HOTEL,
MAY 3rd, 1899.

The undersigned, citizens who are interested in the welfare of our public schools, have had their attention called to a recent meeting of your Board, at which it was informally voted that it would be inexpedient to re-elect, at the coming meeting in June, the present Superintendent.

The vital importance of this matter leads us to earnestly request that final action be deferred until you have acquainted the people with such public reasons as may be worthy of consideration.

We fully recognize the power with which the Board is clothed, and that we have no right to interfere with the discharge of its duties; but in a matter of such moment it would seem both wise and proper that you should take counsel with your constituents.

We make this request the more freely because you have recently appealed to the public for its opinion of the present courses of study in the schools. Therefore we urge upon your consideration that it is not enough to treat such a matter upon personal grounds; that it is no objection to a superintendent to be regarded as an expert in his calling, or to have the confidence of professional educators; that it is no bar to a superintendent's efficiency that he is able to address his teachers in language making clear to them the aims and opportunities of their art, and to inspire them with enthusiasm in their work.

Have the schools retrograded or advanced during recent years? Have the teachers displayed less devotion to and less intelligent interest in their work? Has the discipline of the teaching force shown any deterioration? Has the average attendance of pupils shown a decline? Has the preparation of pupils leaving our schools for higher institutions of learning shown less favorably than heretofore in comparison with scholars from other cities? Has the selection of new teachers been fortunate, and made with the single aim of improving the service, regardless of personal interests? Has the superintendent, in making his recommendations, braved the displeasure of members having local interests at stake, or has he attempted to sacrifice the public good for the sake of gaining favor with individuals?

May we know of any reasons moving you which bear upon the conduct and efficiency of our schools; or may we not rather urge, that in view of the injury to our schools which would accompany a needless change, you will reconsider your intention, and re-elect our present worthy and efficient Superintendent?

James Richard Carter, Maria E. Morton, W. E. Baker, Clifford C. Twombly, Electa N. L. Walton, Julian C. Jaynes, Prof. H. W. Tyler, Chas. E. Hatfield, W. G. Brackett, W. G. Brackett, Gurdon R. Fisher, L. P. Leonard, Chas. A. Reese, Geo. H. Mellin, Gilman Brackett, Arthur S. Williams, Wm. H. Rogers, Jasper N. Keller, A. Lawrence Edmonds, Chas. E. Lord, Chas. E. Lord, S. P. Turner, H. Earl, Henry A. Priest, R. E. Ashenden, C. F. Eddy, A. R. Richards, J. T. Bailey, Mrs. John Lowell, Chas. T. Pulsifer, Martha S. Weeks, Henry P. Perkins, Jr., D. F. Parker, Fred L. Thayer, J. B. Chapin, Wm. B. H. Dowse, Geo. B. Pickard, Fannie R. Dowse, M. E. Ayer, Chas. D. Pickard, Harry L. Ayer, Frank E. Morse, Geo. P. Howlett, Wm. Francis, Prof. William Z. Ripley, Samuel Spaulding, Edward L. Pickard, Rev. Theodore P. Prudden, George H. Phelps, Samuel Barnard, Joseph H. Wellman, F. E. Conant, Edward Spaulding, L. A. Kimbrell, G. R. Spaulding, Margaret K. Burrage, A. B. Bassett, Mrs. Clifford N. Fyfe, P. W. Carter, Mabel Wilbur, Chas. A. Drew, Mary F. Miller, John Luther Kilbon, Richard H. Hunt, Mrs. R. H. Dalton, Caroline E. Wise, Geo. A. Walton, Wm. Louise Fleu, Dr. David W. Wells, Wm. C. Bell, Cliff Rogers Clapp, Alfred W. Bell, Henry H. Carter, Richard Rowe, Lewis E. Coffin, M. Theresa Rowe, Frank A. Drew, Thomas Bond Lindsay, Wm. Safford Jones, Elizabeth B. Esterbrook, Henry E. Bothfield, Theodore A. Esterbrook, Albert P. Carter, Philip R. Spaulding, Lawrence Mayo, Prof. Rush Rhee, Albert Perry Walker, Harold F. Travis, Geo. W. Blodgett, James P. Tolman, Geo. W. Shinn, Samuel L. Powers, N. C. Whitaker, Edwin B. Haskell, E. C. Whitaker, John T. Prince, James Macomber, Herbert S. Kempton, Mrs. H. J. Thompson, Mitchell Wing, Harriet C. Barrows, Edgar A. Brown, I. F. Kendall, Edward H. Cutler, Frank M. Sherman, John Cutler, Florence S. Tolman, T. B. Fitzpatrick, Eben Sears, Nathaniel T. Allen, Jane B. Sears, Geo. M. Weed, Henry Tolman, Abraham Byfield, E. K. Burbank, Fredk. W. Stone, H. K. Burbank, Marcus Morton, Elizabeth W. Whittier, I. O. Bishop, Henry C. Hardon, Chas. S. Dennison, Wm. M. Bullivant, T. E. Stutson, Arthur T. Lovett, W. H. Blodgett, C. B. Fillebrown, John Carter, Horace H. Soule, Wm. W. Wise, Horace H. Soule, Jr., Elizabeth Soule, Miriam B. Pearce, A. C. Thomas, W. H. S. Pearce, A. J. Holden, Estha F. Wilder, Geo. F. Newell, Ella J. Souther, Lucius G. Pratt, Mrs. Bruce R. Ware, Ellen E. Pratt, C. E. Riley, Herbert G. Pratt, Francis E. Pratt, E. E. Stanley, S. M. Sayford, Bessie S. Bacon, H. A. Wilder, John Southern, Bruce R. Ware, Asahel Wheeler, Lucy Lowell, Agnes A. Riley, Adelaide H. Blodgett, C. H. Ames, James G. Wildman, Eugene E. Pettie, James A. Lowell, F. F. Raymond, 2nd, Mary E. Raymond (F. F. R.), Mrs. Wm. C. Richardson, Wm. Cummings Richardson, James Herbert Richardson, Josephine Danforth, Margaret C. Worcester, F. Gertrude Valentine, Mary F. Walker, Ethie Higlow Howe, Edward W. Howe, John Worcester, Mrs. W. R. Brackett, Chas. H. Stone, Grace C. Kempton, Fredk. A. Weatherbee, C. Bowditch Coffin, Howard B. Coffin, Chas. S. Keene, Dr. Howard P. Bellows, Edward A. Whiston, E. H. Ferry, Edward P. Hatch, J. E. E. Hatch, Chas. W. Leonard, E. A. Phippen, Geo. W. Morse, Emily P. Whiston, Ira Copeland, S. H. Woodbridge, C. E. Barckes, Elizabeth F. Robbins,

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SCORED 60 POINTS IN TRIANGULAR LEAGUE GAMES—NEWTON SECOND AND ROXBURY LATIN THIRD.

Brookline High won the Triangular league games Friday afternoon, with Newton second and Roxbury Latin third. The games were held at the Riverside recreation grounds and were witnessed by several hundred friends of the young athletes.

The score was: Brookline 60 points, Newton 36, and Roxbury Latin 11.

Brookline's representatives carried off the honors in the sprints, the mile, 880-yard run, the high and broad jumps and the 220-yard hurdles.

Newton's points were scored by firsts in the pole vault, 440-yard run, 120-yard hurdles, and second in the other events.

Roxbury Latin made no kind of a showing except in putting the 16-pound shot, which was won by F. H. Shoofuss. Second place in the 100-yard and 220-yard dashes were all the other places captured by the Roxbury boys.

The best work was done by H. J. Green of Brookline High, who won first in the mile and half-mile, and 100-yard of the same school, who captured the 100-yard and the 220-yard dashes.

Daniels of Newton ran a very plucky race in the 440, being pushed hard by Foster of Brookline. In this event Woodworth of Newton High was disqualified for throwing Dexter of Brookline. The latter was disabled completely and had to be assisted from the field.

In the pole vault H. W. Kenney of Newton carried off the honors and he made Dorr of Brookline and Howes of Newton quit at 8 feet 7 1/2 inches.

The summary: 100-yard dash—Won by B. J. Laney, Brookline; B. M. Maynard, Roxbury, second; D. W. Howes, Newton, third. Time 10 2/5.

120 hurdles—Won by Leonard, Newton; Dorr, Brookline, second; Howes, Newton, third. Time 20 1/2.

440-yard dash—Won by Daniels, Newton; Foster, Brookline, second. Time 58 1/2.

220-yard dash—Won by Laney, Brookline; Maynard, Roxbury, second; H. F. Green, Newton, third. Time 23 1/5.

220-yard hurdles—Won by Converse, Brookline; Leonard, Newton, second; Marshall, Brookline, third. Time 25 1/2.

880-yard run—Won by H. J. Green, Brookline; Frost, Newton, second; Foster, Brookline, third. Time 21 1/2.

1-mile run—Won by Green, Brookline; Bowers, Newton, second; James, Brookline, third. Time 5m 48s.

Running high jump—Won by R. L. Shevell, Brookline; G. B. Alsworth, Brookline, second. Height 5ft 2 in.

Putting 16-pound shot—Won by Shoofuss, Roxbury; H. Stone, Newton, second; Kenway, Newton, third. Distance 33ft 5 1/2 in.

Running broad jump—Won by C. B. Marshall, Brookline; S. H. Skilton, Brookline, second; A. B. Converse, Brookline, third. Distance 18ft 8 1/2 in.

Throwing 12-pound hammer—Won by C. E. Fox, Brookline; Kenney, Newton, second; Stone, Newton, third. Distance 92ft 1 in.

Pole vault—Won by H. W. Kenney, Newton; E. N. Dorr, Brookline, second; D. W. Howes, Newton, third. Height 8ft 7 1/2 in.

The officials of the meet were J. Frank Quinlan of Harvard, referee; Herbert Hurd starter, C. B. Cotting, H. A. Carlton, J. W. Horr judges at the finish, W. Chase, C. Le Moine, R. F. Ogilby field judges, H. H. Fish clerk of course, S. T. Strickland scorer, W. James announcer.

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Wollaston Beats All-Newton.

The first team match between the Wollaston Golf Club and the All-Newton team, the latter made up of the best players from the four Newton clubs, was played at Norfolk Downs, Monday, and was won by Wollaston, 14 to 9. A return match will be played at the Newton Golf Club on the 14th.

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Cracknell.....0 Wilkie (Newton).....0

Porter.....0 Wright (Brae Burn).....0

Russell.....2 Allen (N. Centre).....0

Swan.....0 Wood (Brae Burn).....4

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NEWTON CENTRE.

—Mrs. C. H. Phinney of Devon street is visiting in Alton, Ill.

—Miss Ellery of Gloucester is a guest of Mrs. Thorpe's on Pelham street.

—Mr. George Lever of the Chestnut Hill Club left this week on a trip to England.

—It is reported that Miss Hammond will soon give up her photographic rooms on Union street.

—Mr. H. M. Barr and family of Kingsbury street, Chestnut Hill, are in Castine, Me., for the summer season.

—At the Unitarian church next Sunday services will be conducted by Rev. C. W. Wendte, Sunday school at 12.

—It has been learned that Mr. E. C. Dudley of Parker street was the donor of the chime of bells recently placed in the First Baptist church in memory of the late Dr. S. F. Smith.

—Mrs. Stillman Spaulding and daughter, formerly of Warren street, are attending the anniversary here. They are now living in Roxbury.

—"Pride in Our Leader and His Service" will be the topic at the Young People's Union at the First Baptist church next Sunday evening.

—The topic of the sermon by Rev. G. H. Spencer of the Methodist church on Sunday evening will be "Savonarola, the Preacher of Righteousness."

—Mr. John Emerson, while driving on Langley road on Saturday, fell from his wagon and was badly injured. He was taken to the Newton hospital.

—On Sunday morning the mission will conclude at the Church of the Sacred Heart with solemn high mass and a procession by the children at 10.30 o'clock.

—Postmaster Ellis is still working to accommodate the people. Letters mailed by 2.45 p. m. will go out about 3, for Boston and its suburbs, and for all the Newtons.

—Special services will mark the observance of Children's Day at the Methodist church next Sunday. There will be a sermon by the pastor and singing and recitations by the pupils of the Sunday school.

—A charity concert was held on Tuesday evening in the parlors of the Unitarian church, the artists being Mrs. Bertha Nordwood Edlestone, Miss Ethel Batchelder, Mr. Bertel Willard and Mr. William McLean.

—A strawberry festival and sale will be held on the grounds of Mrs. C. M. Ransom, 683 Commonwealth avenue, Tuesday, June 13, from 4 to 10 p. m. There will be music both afternoon and evening. Proceeds will be for the aid of the chapel fund.

—A luncheon party was given by Mrs. C. W. Stetson of Dedham street, Oak Hill, last Wednesday afternoon. Guests were present from Cambridge, Arlington, Providence and the Newtons. Progressive whist was played and the prizes were decorated china.

—W. B. Murray of the Hotel Touraine, while on a visit to Newton Sunday afternoon, had \$69 stolen from him by a pick-pocket. Murray was waiting for a car on Commonwealth avenue, near Chestnut Hill, when he was jostled by a couple of young men. A gust of wind blew off his hat, and he suddenly dismounted from his wheel to get it. He had no sooner done so when he was knocked down by another bicyclist, and rendered unconscious. After receiving medical assistance, Holbrook was removed to the Newton Hospital in the hospital ambulance. He died early Monday morning.

—Harry Holbrook, 14 years old, of 200 Cambridge street, Boston, met with a fatal bicycle accident while riding on his bicycle along Commonwealth avenue Sunday afternoon. A gust of wind blew off his hat, and he suddenly dismounted from his wheel to get it. He had no sooner done so when he was knocked down by another bicyclist, and rendered unconscious. After receiving medical assistance, Holbrook was removed to the Newton Hospital in the hospital ambulance. He died early Monday morning.

—Samuel Stevens Haskell, who graduated at the Mason school in 1885, entered the Newton High school the same year and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1890, has this year completed a four and a half years course of study in architecture, with many honors, at L'Ecole des Beaux Arts, Paris, France. His vacations in Europe, have been passed in travel and study in England, France, Switzerland, Italy, Spain and a trip across the Mediterranean Sea, to Northern Africa. Since his return, having visited his parents in St. Paul, Minnesota, he has entered on the practice of his profession in New York city.

—Judge Morton, in the supreme court, Monday, dismissed the bill in equity brought by Maria S. Daniels and nine others, owners of real estate abutting on Paul street, against the Commonwealth Avenue Street Railway Company, to have the court declare illegal and void an extension of the location of the respondent railway on Paul and Cypress streets and to set aside the order of the railroad commissioners that they had not shown sufficient reason why the location of the aldermen of Newton should not be approved. The denunciation of the defendant to their bill is sustained by the court. W. C. Cogswell for plaintiffs; W. H. Coolidge and C. A. Hight for defendant.

—Many Centre people were interested in the wedding of Mr. Waldron Holmes Rand, Jr., and Miss Gertrude Morrison McKay, which took place at All Saints' Episcopal church, Brookline, Wednesday evening. As the groom was a former well-known Harvard athlete that college was well represented among the guests. The bride wore a dress of white satin. Over the skirt was laid a train of white tulle. Her hair was fastened with a spray of white flowers. Miss Sally Baldwin, formerly of Newton Centre, was one of the six bridesmaids, and the ushers were five Harvard men, of the classes of '97, '98 and 1901, and Leon Rand, the groom's brother. A largely attended reception was held after the ceremony, at the home of the bride on Winchester street, and after a wedding tour Mr. and Mrs. Rand will make their home in Newton Centre.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—Mrs. Susannah has returned from a visit in New York.

—Mr. Arthur Tarbell has returned from his trip abroad.

—The "Owls" met last week Monday with Mrs. O'Connor.

—Arthur Guild, who has been away attending school, has returned home.

—Mr. and Mrs. Barnes from Winthrop now occupy their home on Hyde street.

—Mr. Jones will give an address at the rally of the Young People's Religious Unions from Mendon, Upton, Milford and

Hopedale, to be held Sunday evening at the Hopdale Memorial church.

—Mrs. G. B. Warren and daughter of Erie avenue will start Monday for a trip West.

—Mrs. Avery and child have gone to her former home at Chelmsford to visit relatives.

—Mrs. Edmonds has been visiting friends in Dorchester for the past two or three weeks.

—Mr. E. B. Sampson and family have gone to Cotuit, Mass., for the summer season.

—Dr. Keith, W. S. Burbeck, G. B. King and Mr. Darling are having their houses painted.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Wetherbee of Elliot have an addition to the family by the birth of a son.

—The Young Ladies' Literary club will meet next Monday with Miss Nellie Crafts, Lincoln street.

—Roscoe Susman, who has been attending school in New Hampshire, is now at his home here.

—Mrs. Winslow, from Bath, Maine, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. R. Cook of Erie avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Thomas of Patterson building have an increase in their family by the birth of a son.

—Lippman, the tailor, has moved from Patterson building to the shop formerly occupied by him in Stevens building.

—The Monday club and the C. L. S. C. were represented at the meeting of the Federation of clubs held on Tuesday at Natick.

—The Circuit Avenue Land Company are having streets built on their land near Eliot station and will soon have an auction sale of lots.

—The net proceeds of the annual sale which was held by the Ladies' Aid society connected with the Congregational church, were about \$125.

—The officers elected by the C. L. S. C. for the coming season are as follows: Pres. Mrs. Whittemore; vice-pres., Miss A. Webster; sec., Mrs. Flint; treas., Mrs. Morse.

—Miss Edith M. McCann, N. H. S. '95, was graduated with degree of Ph. B. from Boston University last Wednesday. A large number of her friends were present at the exercises.

—The alarm from box 65 at 9.50 yesterday morning was for a fire in the house of Frank A. Rhodes, 91 Allerton road. The explosion of an oil stove in the kitchen was the cause of a slight blaze, which was extinguished by members of the fire department with but little damage.

—"Children's Day" will be observed at the Methodist church next Sunday. In the morning the pastor, Rev. T. W. Bishop, will preach to the children and their friends. In the evening, at 7.30, there will be a Sunday school concert with singing and recitations by the children and a short address by the pastor. A welcome to all.

—Children's day will be observed in the Congregational church next Sunday. At 10.30 a. m. the service will consist of special music, baptism of children, presentation of Bibles to those baptized ten years ago and a children's sermon. All the children of the Sunday school and congregation are cordially requested to be present. At 6.30 a Sunday school concert will be held.

—At All Souls Unitarian church, Highland Club hall, next Sunday morning, the services will be of especial interest. Children's Sunday will be observed. The minister, Rev. Wm. S. Jones, will preach a special sermon. Music will be furnished by a male quartet: James Kingman, 1st tenor; David Bates, 2d tenor; Pietro Isola, 1st bass; H. J. Patterson, 2d bass. A Christian service for the children will follow. At noon the Sunday school will hold a carol service, with recitations by the children and a story by the minister. All are cordially invited.

—On Saturday afternoon and evening of the 24th of June, the Newton Highlands Improvement Association are to hold a grand "June Fete" in the woodlands bordering on Lakewood road and Lake avenue, near Crystal Lake. This is an ideal spot for an outing within the village limits. A variety of entertainments including dancing, a glee club of male voices, various games and other attractions are to be provided. Refreshments are to be served by a popular caterer. A small admission fee will be charged to cover expenses. Full particulars will be published later.

—At the women's prayer and conference meeting a kind but decided stand is desired to be taken to urge professors and professors of religion to separate themselves from the worldly pleasures of the card table, the dance, theatricals in the church and out, and the alluring delights of the different forms of club life, as not being a source of, nor aids to a Christian's power, they being wholly superfluous accompaniments of salvation, as "God's work cannot be done with the devil's tools." The Scripture reading will be the parable of "The Wise and Foolish Virgins." Our leader, Mrs. Ella F. McAdams, will have charge of the meeting. We have been greatly benefited by her clear, judicious and spiritual expositions of scripture readings and topics presented week after week, and hope when meetings are resumed in the fall, she will again lead us. It has been a much prized privilege of the writer to meet with these Christian women who love to "go apart to pray," and thus get away for a season from the sight and sound of the sensual delights appealing to eye and appetite with which so many members of our churches spend much time in catering to a "mixed multitude."

NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—Dr. Lowe has a fine Rhododendron exhibition this week.

—W. A. Leonard has recovered from a severe attack of malaria.

—Mr. Louis P. Everett has broken ground on High street for a new house.

—Mrs. A. J. Grover of Linden street is spending a few weeks at Kuttand.

—Extensive alterations are being made on the residence of Mr. L. P. Everett.

—A Children's Day concert will be held at the Methodist church on Sunday evening.

—Mr. Lester Shaw has recovered from an attack of pleurisy fever and has gone to Roxbury.

—Mrs. Chas. W. Johnson and daughter of High street are visiting friends in Holyoke and vicinity.

—Mrs. Frank Walker of Barre, Vt., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Keupman of Elliot street.

—At the meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. on Tuesday evening, at the Methodist church, the topic was "A Perfect Child."

—Children's Day will be observed at the Second Newton Baptist Bible school next Sunday, June 11th. Special decorations of

banners, birds and flowers, and special music, and sermons by the pastor.

—The feast of Corpus Christi was observed Sunday at St. Mary's church by the usual exercises, in charge of Rev. Fr. Danahy.

—While Ethel Burns of 70 High street was riding a bicycle on Eliot street early Tuesday evening, she fell from the wheel, sustaining injuries about the head and shoulders.

—The marriage of Mr. Charles Temperley, who formerly resided on Chestnut street, to Miss Nellie J. Ruggles of Pleasant street, Medford, occurred at Medford on Wednesday evening.

—A strawberry festival and ice cream sale was held last evening at the Methodist church. The proceeds were to help defray the expense of painting and repairing the vestry of the church.

—For greater convenience to my patrons, I desire to announce that all calls for my services may be left with Mr. John W. Howe, High street, who will forward them to me with the greatest possible dispatch. Respectfully, HENRY F. CARTE, 1671

Reception at Dr. Hovey's.

President Hovey's house was beautifully decorated with roses and pinks, Wednesday afternoon, from 4 to 6 o'clock, for a reception of a large number of the most distinguished guests of the seminary, who had come to celebrate the completion of his fifty years of service. Of the five hundred invited, the larger part had long been associated with Dr. Hovey in various kinds of work.

Among those invited were the members of the faculty, of the board of trustees, the alumni and the large benefactors of the seminary; representatives of other theological seminaries and colleges, and of various boards and clubs, of which Dr. Hovey was a member. The following are named: Brown University, of the New England Conservatory of Music, of Wellesley College, and of Worcester Academy; the Boston Baptist Social Union, the General Theological Library, Harvard Bible Club, Theological Circle, the "C. C.," the "Neighbors" and other bodies.

Among those present were, Pres. W. R. Harper, D. D., of the University of Chicago; President-elect W. H. P. Farnes, D. D., of Brown University; Pres. A. H. Strong, D. D., of Rochester Theological Seminary; Pres. C. B. Hartman of Hartford, Conn.; Pres. J. E. Smith, D. D., of Colgate University; Prof. G. D. B. Pepper, D. D., LL. D., of Colby College; Prof. F. H. Kerfoot, D. D., of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Ky.; Prof. Wm. C. Clarke, D. D., of Colgate University; Prof. E. M. Keirstead, D. D., of Acadia University; Prof. Robert Fletcher of Dartmouth College; Professors Halliwell and Whiting of Wellesley College; Rev. Geo. E. Burdette, D. D., of the Watchman; Rev. H. S. Burdette, D. D., of Zion's Advocate; Mr. Thomas O. Conant of the Examiner, Hon. and Mrs. J. H. Goldard, of Providence; Hon. and Mrs. Wm. A. Munroe of Cambridge; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. V. Kellen of Boston; Rev. G. D. Boardman, D. D., LL. D., of Philadelphia; Rev. Dr. and Mrs. N. E. W. of Boston; Rev. and Mrs. E. D. Barr of Boston; Rev. Dr. and Mrs. H. M. King of Providence; Rev. D. B. Ford, D. D., of Hanover, Rev. C. H. Watson, D. D., of Arlington, and many others.

Dr. and Mrs. Hovey request us to express their regret that they were unable to invite all their neighbors and friends of Newton to this reception, and to convey their hearty thanks to the many friends who have expressed in person, or by letter, their congratulations and good wishes.

GIVEN THEIR DIPLOMAS.

GRADUATING CLASS OF NEWTON THEOLOGICAL INSTITUTION TAKE PART IN CLOSING EXERCISES.

The last day of the commencement exercises of the Newton Theological Institution opened yesterday morning at 9 o'clock, when the annual meeting of the Backus Historical Society was held at Colby Hall, on the institution grounds. This was followed at 10 o'clock by the graduating exercises of the class of '99, which were held in the First Baptist church of Newton Centre. The front part of the church was occupied by the members of the graduating class. Apart from them, an audience of over 500, including the alumni, members of the faculty, students and friends, were present.

The program began with music, followed by a prayer by the Rev. E. Y. Mullens, pastor of the church. The following address was then given by members of the graduating class: "Faith the True Optimism," Frederic S. Boddy; "The Significance of the Present Crisis in the English Church," Champlin Burrage; "The Debt to the Past," Clifford D. Gray; "The Struggle for Adjustment," George F. Green; "The Gospel of the Kingdom," Henry F. Huse; "The Preacher's Equipment," Alfred E. Isaac; "A Neglected Study in the Preparation of a Christian Pastor," Selden R. McCurdy; "Manhood in the Claim of the Boy Upon the Pastor," Henry C. Speed.

At the close of the addresses, diplomas were presented by Acting President Hovey to the members of the graduating class as follows:

Regular department—William B. Bezanon, English Corner, N. C.; Frederic S. Boddy, Dorchester; Champlin Burrage, Portland, Me.; Lewis B. Clarke, Springfield; James B. Fox, Rochester, Mich.; Clifford D. Gray, Somerville; George F. Green, Fall River; Carl D. Hazelton, Richmond, Ind.; Henry F. Huse, Boston; Alfred E. Isaac, Boston; Selden R. McCurdy, Lynn; Fred W. Peakes, Waltham; Henry C. Speed, Lowell; Wilbert F. Spidle, Lunenburg, N. S.

English department—Carleton A. Burgess, Ashland; Otto C. Winestock, Newton Centre.

An address to the class by Prof. Thomas, brought the morning program to a close. At 12.45 o'clock the annual trustees' dinner for contributors, the alumni and other guests, to the number of about 150, was held in Bray hall.

Woodland Park Hotel.

Everett Morse and wife, Mrs. C. A. Richards, Miss Richards, Boston, George Bray, A. Nyhart and family, Brookline, W. Tilton and family, Washington, D. C., R. C. Hoffman and family, Portland, Me., Mrs. J. Hoffman and family, Portland, Me., were among those registered last week for the season.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Currie, New York, are at the hotel on a visit to their daughter, Miss Mabel Currie of Lasell Seminary. Mr. Graydon Stetson and Miss Mickels of Boston were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Stetson on Saturday and Sunday. Miss Edith Kellner of Wellesley College visited her mother over Sunday.

Mr. Tilton of West Newton entertained a party of his friends at dinner at the hotel on Thursday evening.

E. J. Neale, Lowell, was down on Monday to complete arrangement for the annual dinner of the N. E. Hardware Association, which takes place at the hotel on Tuesday next.

J. D. Houghton, F. W. Keene, Lynn, Benj. Phlips, and wife, E. E. Williams, Miss Williams, A. F. Letherbee, Dr. R. L. Flanders, Boston, C. L. Everett and wife, Rochester, N. Y., Donah. Clements, Portsmouth, N. H., were among those registered for dinner on Sunday.

THE NEWTON CEMETERY.

WHAT THE STOCKHOLDERS WILL SEE AT THE ANNUAL MEETING NEXT WEDNESDAY.

The Newton Cemetery is now in all its summer beauty, and a more attractive "God's Acre" it would be difficult to find. The special feature of our cemetery are the pretty little ponds, framed in a setting of green lawns and shrubbery, the first of which are visible soon after entering the gateway. The city has furnished water to take the place of that furnished by springs, which were dried up by the sewer, so that now the supply is never failing, even in the driest weather.

Everything about the Cemetery is kept in the neatest order, under the active supervision of Mr. H. Wilson Ross, the assistant superintendent, who is in almost sole charge, owing to the failing health of Mr. Henry Ross, who has been superintendent since 1861. He has failed a great deal in the past year, as the result of his severe illness a year ago, and his advancing years, and although he is able to be given daily rides, he is not able to transact business. The Cemetery authorities, however, do not forget his faithful services for so many years, and he will probably retain his office as long as he lives. Under his training Mr. Ross, Jr., grew up, and is able to carry on the work so that the absence of the superintendent is not perceived.

The Cemetery now consists of over 100 acres, of which 80 acres are in the Cemetery itself and laid out in lots, or in the chain of ponds which stretch through the grounds.

The recent improvements include a new greenhouse and headhouse, needed changes have been made in the heating apparatus, and electric lights have been placed in the chapel, the greenhouses, stable and the office.

The slope beyond the chapel has been finished and many new lots have been sold there, and the Beacon street front has been greatly improved by the removal of the overgrown hedge, and the planting of shrubbery in its place.

The flower beds are now very attractive, and something new in the way of tropical beds have been planted out this year, containing many rare plants. The weather has made it necessary to keep three mowers constantly at work with the hose, but the beds are in fine condition, although the lawns in places are brown and dry.

Some handsome new monuments have been erected the past year, but the usual number of lots have not been sold, owing to the hard times and the enforced economy which have brought. The income from the sale of lots is only about two thirds the usual amount this year.

The rhododendrons, which have been such a feature in past years, are now in full bloom and a well worth a visit, as there is a great variety of color, and the display is not excelled in this vicinity.

It is hoped that there will be a large attendance of stockholders at the annual meeting, next Wednesday, and the display of shrubs and flowers will repay them for a visit, even if the annual meeting does not.

REAL ESTATE.

A house and 6690 feet of land on Los Angeles street, Newtonville, have been sold by Francis Kendall to Daniel W. Hyde. Five lots of land on Oak Hill street, in the southern portion of the city, containing 153,350 square feet of land, have been purchased by Herbert P. Jefferson from Lydia L. Scott and another. Two of the lots aggregating 28,350 feet, have been resold to Jesse H. Sheppard.

William J. Dimick has purchased for \$1853, a lot of 7414 square feet on Tremont street, Newton, belonging to Edwin W. Gay.

W. S. & F. Edmonds report sales in Newton on Farlow Hill, lot 39, on Shorncliffe road, about 9000 feet, to Mr. A. H. Cram, being the lot next easterly to his new residence, on Arlington street, near Marlboro street, from Mrs. Gay to W. J. Dimick, a choice lot of 7500 feet for improvement. In Newton Centre, lot 5 on Ward street between Centre street and Commonwealth avenue, to Mr. Nelson M. Brooks, increasing his present holding by 927 feet; also lot 7 containing about 9000 feet to Frank W. Pever, who will at once erect thereon a residence for occupancy. In Newton Highlands, lot of 9000 feet from W. B. Rudlock to Mr. E. Cox, in West Newton, on account of Mr. G. W. Taylor, the ten lots of land on the crest between Wildwood avenue and Kensington street, near Watertown street.

Nova Scotia Re-Visited.

Perhaps you have been to Nova Scotia once and are of the opinion that you have seen everything of interest in that picturesque province. The south shore of the province has charms which are yet unknown to those who have taken a flying trip through Nova Scotia. The rugged coast line, the sheltered harbors and the numerous islands, are full of interest to those who enjoy a trip by water, and the air is invigorating to those who are in need of recuperation. The popular route to Halifax to those who have once been to Nova Scotia, is by the Yarmouth line steamer from Boston to Yarmouth, and from Yarmouth to Halifax by the new steel side-wheel steamer, City of Monticello, also operated by the old established Yarmouth line. The new edition of "Beautiful Nova Scotia" mailed on receipt of five cents in stamps will explain all. H. F. Hammond, agent, 43 Lewis wharf, Boston.

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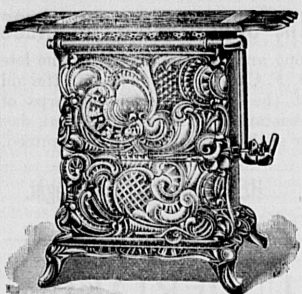
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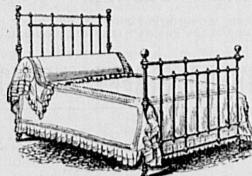
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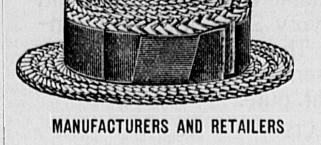
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—Pianos, Farley, 433 Washington St. If
—Shirt repairing, see Blackwell's advt.
—Mr. A. W. Fuller and family left yesterday for a short stay at Essex.

—Mr. Anton Miller of Centre street has returned from a business trip to Texas.
—Miss Harriet Parker of the Newton Bazar is spending a week at Falmouth.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. E. White of Park street are away on their summer outing.
—Miss Mabel Eddy is spending her vacation with her parents on Franklin street.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Powning of Billings Park will spend the summer at Essex.
—Mr. J. Henry Bacon and family left yesterday for their summer home at Essex.

—Mr. Harold Travis of Eldridge street has returned from a week's stay at Magnolia.
—Mrs. B. S. Wetherbee of Charlesbank road returned Monday from a week's stay in Maine.

—Ex-Mayor Hubbard and family left yesterday for their summer home at Penzance, Wood's Hill.
—Mr. F. D. Adams and family of Richardson street entertained friends from out of town this week.

—W. F. Banks & Sons provided the tent used in connection with the sale at Grace church last Saturday.
—Mrs. W. O. Trowbridge and family of Kenrick Park left this week for their summer home at Magnolia.

—The men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock will be led by Mr. F. H. Tucker.
—Mr. Joseph Abbott, starter for the Boston Elevated in Nonantum square, is enjoying a week's vacation.

—Mr. F. W. Stearns and family of Park street left yesterday for Warsaw, where they will spend the summer.
—John Lodge of Lombard street has returned from the Worcester Military Academy for the summer vacation.

—Mr. Allen C. Emery returned Sunday from a two months' trip to Texas, where he was engaged in buying wool.
—Mr. and Mrs. Walter White left this week for No. Falmouth, where they have taken a cottage for the summer.

—Rev. Christopher R. Elliot of Boston preached at the Channing church last Sunday morning on "Seeking Rest."
—Mr. Edwin Hodge has returned from Mitchell's school at Hitterdick and is visiting his parents on Richardson street.

—Pitt F. Parker will have charge of the men's meeting at the Watertown Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.
—Mr. C. E. Eddy and family of Franklin street will occupy Rev. Wm. H. Davis' cottage at Harwichport, this summer.

—Miss Gertrude T. Hall of Tremont street entertained her niece, Miss Lucy Burroughs of Charlestown, the first of the week.
—Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Mandell have returned from their wedding trip, which included a visit at Lenox and the Berkshires.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Hubbard have been in Holyoke this week, attending the 18th annual meeting of the Mass. State Pharmaceutical association.
—The Rev. M. H. Wellman officiates in Grace church on Sunday. The Rev. B. F. Matran, who is to be in charge during the summer is expected in Newton next week.

—The annual supper of Grace church choir was held in the church parlors, Monday evening. Supper was provided by Paxton, after which remarks were made by Dr. Shinn, Mr. Barrell and members of the choir.
—Mrs. G. W. Shinn of Linder terrace will spend July and August visiting her daughters in Philadelphia and New Jersey.

—Miss Mary Wells Davis of Park street left yesterday on a visit with friends at Harwichport on the Cape.
—Pitt F. Parker, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. will take a party of Newton boys to the Y. M. C. A. state camp, Camp Durrell, to be held at Plympton, near Plymouth, about July 1. Parents desiring information should communicate with Mr. Parker.

—Mr. John B. May of Gale street won a number of places in the canoe events at the B. A. A. field day at Riverside, last Saturday. He won first in the hand paddling contest, second in both the tournament and open events, and third place in the combination contest.

—Rev. Geo. W. Shinn, D. D., rector of Grace church, and his son, Frank Shinn, left for England, where they will spend July and August. During July Dr. Shinn's address will be King's College, London, England, and during August it will be New College, Oxford, England.

—The Y. M. C. A. base ball team has the following dates scheduled for the Crescents of Watertown at Newton Centre playground at 3 o'clock: 24th, Round Robins of Newtonville at Newton Centre; July 1, open date; 28th, Wellingtons at Wellington; 29th, Nonantums at Newton Centre; 2nd, open date; 29th, open date.

—At 6.15 o'clock Tuesday evening, Mabel Higgins, the 12-year-old daughter of Frank Higgins, living at 82 Tremont street, Oak square, while crossing the car tracks immediately in front of her home, was struck by an electric car and thrown upon the ground. She was carried to her home and a physician was summoned. A contusion at the back of the right ear was the extent of her injuries.

—A large number of Newton people accepted Mr. J. C. Chaffin's kind permission last Saturday and visited his gardens to see his magnificent collection of roses, which are now in full bloom, and the large number of varieties makes it a very interesting exhibit. Amateurs wonder how Mr. Chaffin succeeds in preserving the foliage from the attacks of insect pests, and having such a profusion of flowers in a dry season. His roses make Vernon street one of the most attractive points in the city, as every one who passes along the walk stops to admire the roses.

—The garden party given last Saturday afternoon and evening on the grounds adjoining Grace church served a double purpose. It gave many of Dr. Shinn's parishioners an opportunity to bid him God-speed on his European voyage and brought together many church members in an informal re-union. A large tent, furnished by William Banks & Son, occupied the lawn, and contained a number of tables for the sale of fancy articles and refreshments. As a social success the affair may be said to have eclipsed any entertainment of the kind given by the ladies of Grace church. It also netted a substantial sum for the treasury. Those in charge were Mrs. E. M. Springer, Mrs. Moses Clark, Mrs. F. N. Robbins, Mrs. George Flint, Mrs. J. C. Elms, Jr., Mrs. Rogers, and Mrs. J. N. Kellar. They were assisted by these young ladies: Miss Ethel Springer, Miss Page, Miss Moody, Miss Ramsey, Miss Cutler, Miss Langford, Miss Gertrude Holmes,

Miss Florence Jewell, Miss Constance Ashenden and Miss Helen Hunt.
—Mr. P. F. Parker has returned from his trip in Maine.

—Mr. John Evans is spending this week at Houghs Neck.
—Mr. F. E. Stanley sails June 29 for an extended European trip.

—Mr. Robert Davis is expected home from the Cape next week.
—Mr. A. T. Pierce of Park street has returned from a business trip to Nantucket.

—The engagement is announced of Mr. Joseph B. Baker to Miss Patton of New York.
—Mr. Arthur Lane of Elmwood street has returned from his trip in northern Maine.

—Mrs. Isaac D. Allen of Centre street has gone to Denver, Col., for an extended stay.
—Mrs. Grey Blandy of Chicago is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Hallett of Centre street.

—Miss Hattie Briggs of Washington street has returned from a visit to friends in Maine.
—Miss Ina F. Hackett of Dover, N. H., is the guest of her cousin, Dr. J. F. Frisbie of Centre street.

—Mr. E. A. Whitney of Jefferson street is in northern New York state on a business trip this week.
—Mr. W. H. Foss and family of Franklin street left last Friday for a summer's stay at "Bayside," Hull.

—Mr. Trowbridge and family of Peabody street left yesterday for Hull, where they will pass the summer.
—Dr. and Mrs. Edward B. Hitchcock of Hollis street are at Point Allerton, Hull, for a few weeks' stay.

—Miss C. Blanche Rice, the actress, has finished a successful season and is now at her home in Waltham.
—Mrs. E. M. Crookford left Monday for Auburn, N. Y., where she will spend three weeks visiting her sister.

—Mrs. M. A. Lawton of Franklin street left yesterday for North Falmouth, where she will spend the summer.
—Mr. A. J. Wellington and family of Billings park left Wednesday for a summer's stay near Nantasket.

—A meeting of the Entertainment Club will be held in the Channing church parlors, Monday evening, June 19, at 7.45.
—Col. A. M. Ferris of Washington street has been appointed chief of staff of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company.

—Miss Belle Ballou, who is a teacher in one of the Pennsylvania schools, is the guest of her mother on Hunnewell terrace.
—Mr. C. T. Leeds of Bennington street is at West Point, this week, taking the entrance examination for the military academy.

—Horace Evans Pastorious and Stephen Cook, who will spend the summer at Harvard this year, are both graduates of Mr. Cutler's school.
—Mr. Leslie Moore, who has been a student in a German university for the past year, is now at his home on Hunnewell avenue.

—The last mothers' meeting of the season was held Wednesday at Grace church. Supper was served, followed by an entertainment.
—Dr. L. R. Stone, Dr. J. F. Frisbie and Dr. F. W. Webber attended the annual sessions of the Massachusetts Medical Society, held in Boston this week.

—Mr. Wallace Goodrich, the well known organist, sailed Wednesday on the Dominion line steamer, "Canada," for Liverpool, and will make an extended stay in Europe.
—Mr. H. S. Johnson of Brighton Hill was head usher at the Adams-Lincoln building at the Pleasant street Congregational church, Arlington, Wednesday evening.

—Hon. Henry E. Cobb of Bellevue street was in Milton, N. H., Wednesday, where he was one of the judges at the annual prize speaking contest of the Natick High School.
—Mr. H. M. Trowbridge of Hunnewell avenue will attend the International Christian Endeavor Convention in Detroit the first week in July, returning home via the Great Lakes and Montreal.

—Francis Adin Shinn, who took the degree of Ph. B. at Boston University and Franklin Elmer Smith, who took a Cum Laude at the same place, are both graduates of Mr. Cutler's school.
—Prof. Charles W. Rishell of Newtonville avenue preached the baccalaureate sermon before the senior class of Lasell Seminary at the Congregational church, Auburndale, Sunday morning.

—The Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at Eliot church next Sunday evening will be a temperance meeting in charge of Henry O. Trowbridge. The subject will be "Intemperate Pleasures." 2 Tim. 3: 1-7.

—During the thunder storm Wednesday afternoon a cow was killed at Upper Falls, and a horse belonging to Mr. Edmund, a stone mason of Auburndale, was killed while hitched in a shed at Wellesley.

—Sheriff S. W. Tucker was one of the bearers at the funeral of Sheriff Cushing Lowell on Monday. Among other Newton men present was Mr. Edwin O. Childs, register of deeds for Southern Middlesex.

—Last Saturday afternoon at the bride's home on Linwood avenue, Newtonville, took place the marriage of Mr. William G. Soule of Walnut park, and Miss Margaret Wallace of Newtonville. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. E. Dunning of Brookline and was witnessed only by members of the immediate family. Mr. and Mrs. Soule sailed Wednesday on the S. S. Teutonic of the White Star line for Liverpool, and will spend their honeymoon abroad.

—Rev. G. W. R. Scott, D. D., of Kenrick Park, preached the baccalaureate for the graduating class of Bradford Academy, at Haverhill, on Sunday, taking for his subject "Extra Mile Christians." His closing paragraph was as follows: Make all employment delightful by clustering all your affections around it. Do not separate life into what is called spiritual and secular. Put your hearts into your work, in homes, in the school and in the church. Throw them into the great movements of the day, which need the service of educated women. Don't try to squeeze into heaven. Don't be satisfied to be just saved. Be saints of the second mile.

—The marriage of Miss Beatrice Farquhar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Farquhar of Sargent street, and Mr. Thurlock Veed Bergen of Washington, took place yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. N. Peloubet of Auburndale, and witnessed only by members of the family. The interior of the house was prettily decorated with roses, daisies, and a profusion of potted plants and palms. An informal reception followed the ceremony, and late in the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Bergen left on a wedding trip which they will spend driving through New Hampshire. Upon their return Mr.

and Mrs. Bergen will make their home in New York city.
—Mr. D. F. Barber and family left for Friendship, Me., to-day.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Corey of Copley street left to-day for Point Allerton, to spend the summer.
—Rev. Wm. H. Sayford of Jamaica Plain will preach at the Channing church next Sunday at 10.30 a. m. All cordially invited.

—Mr. Frank J. Solis, formerly of Newton, was married last evening, in Watertown, to Miss Sara, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Bowen, at their residence. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Edwin C. Porter, pastor of the Congregational church and was witnessed by a large number of relatives and friends. Miss Euna B. Bowen, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Mr. F. R. Shattuck, Jr., best man. Little Miss Marjorie Osborne, a niece of the bride, was flower girl, and Master Robert P. Osborne page. A reception was held from 8 till 10.

GOLF AT NEWTON.

BRAEBURN CLUB HOLDS AN OPEN TOURNAMENT—TRAVELLI OF HOME CLUB BEATS BOGEY WITH NINE HANDICAPS.

The handicap bogey medal play open tournament on the links of the Braeburn Golf Club at West Newton, Wednesday afternoon, attracted a large number of players and was one of the most successful tournaments held under the club's auspices.

Although the links were in the best condition, the excessive heat and the rain affected the play, and the scores were somewhat higher than was expected.

Mr. C. I. Travelli of Braeburn won the first prize for the best score, and Messrs. F. A. Falvey of Boston, George Wright of Wollaston and H. L. Bowden of the Oakley Country Club tied for second place. The scores:

	Hdp	Net	Up
C. I. Travelli, Braeburn.....	9	84	0
F. A. Falvey, Boston.....	5	80	0
G. Wright, Wollaston.....	8	82	0
H. L. Bowden, Oakley.....	18	82	0
Down			
E. Leonard, Braeburn.....	10	83	1
E. F. Woods, Braeburn.....	9	89	4
C. S. Street, Wollaston.....	12	86	4
A. C. Lockwood, Commonwealth.....	12	88	5
E. C. Fletcher, Braeburn.....	12	88	5
H. C. Perkins, Braeburn.....	6	87	6
L. Underwood, Oakley.....	10	91	5
G. T. Lincoln, Braeburn.....	14	91	6
L. Fowle, Braeburn.....	18	90	6
C. A. Hardy, Braeburn.....	9	90	7
E. Blackmur, Wollaston.....	18	89	7
C. B. Corey, Florida E. S.....	6	88	8
D. Thomas, Braeburn.....	10	90	8
C. E. Sweet, Braeburn.....	14	93	8
G. H. Phelps, Braeburn.....	12	97	9
H. Bally, Newton Centre.....	12	90	9
F. H. Curtis, Oakley.....	9	93	9
H. S. Fletcher, Braeburn.....	18	91	9
E. A. Frost, Braeburn.....	12	101	10
E. H. Rogers, Wollaston.....	12	101	11
W. A. Griffith, Winchester.....	2	93	11
J. F. Morrill, Wollaston.....	10	107	11
H. L. Ayer, Braeburn.....	12	93	11
C. T. Fogg, Braeburn.....	24	103	11
A. H. Dorsey, Winchester.....	9	100	12

No cards—A. J. Wellington, Newton; E. A. Wilkie, Newton; C. E. Hubbard, Oakley; W. Merrill, Braeburn; H. L. Sewall, Oakley; D. T. Knicker, Newton Centre; F. N. Robbins, Weston and H. B. Day, Braeburn.

THURSDAY'S SCORES.
As a result of the last day's play in the open tournament of the Braeburn Golf Club, West Newton, Mr. C. I. Travelli and Mrs. Travelli won first place in a splendidly played game. From the first the couple played remarkable golf, and, until the last hole was played, missed nothing, not even a put.

The course was in excellent condition, and despite the threatening weather, 20 out of the 23 couples entered started. The play was close, and at time exciting, and some fine scores were made. For the best gross score of 112, R. F. Jones and Mrs. G. B. Keyes were successful.

In the second round, the heavy rain played havoc with the links, and seriously handicapped the contestants.
The tournament has proved one of the most successful yet held under the auspices of the club, and another will probably be held this fall.

Players.	Gross.	cap.	Net
C. I. Travelli and Mrs. Travelli.....	21	84	84
George Wright and Mrs. Roppe.....	10	7	98
R. F. Jones and Mrs. G. B. Keyes.....	12	4	98
F. A. Falvey and Miss Falvey.....	12	9	99
W. A. Griffith and Miss Sanborn.....	11	11	100
H. C. Perkins and Miss Phelps.....	10	8	101
H. L. Ayer and Mrs. Farris.....	13	30	101
A. J. Wellington and Miss A. B. Cobb.....	19	8	101
A. A. Tilley and Mrs. J. A. Daniels.....	11	10	105
W. D. Sanborn and Miss M. Skillings.....	12	15	105
B. H. Wilson and Miss Pauline McKay.....	11	10	106
Leonard Fowle and Mrs. Fowle.....	12	19	107
C. C. Fletcher and Mrs. Fletcher.....	13	10	108
C. J. Whitten and Mrs. Bourne.....	11	10	109
A. G. Lockwood and Mrs. Rich.....	18	8	110
W. B. Merrill and Mrs. A. J. Ayer.....	12	21	111
G. A. Frost and Miss Sanborn.....	13	11	112
F. N. Robbins and Miss Loring.....	15	10	115
A. B. Cobb and Miss M. Cobb.....	14	15	121
M. H. Houghton and Miss Skillings.....	16	21	130

No cards—F. H. Hovey and Mrs. A. T. Clarke.
School Players on the Links.
The school team of the Newton Centre Golf Club beat the first team of the Brookline high school Golf Club at Newton Centre Thursday by a score of 18 to 8

ANTIQUITY OF GUNPOWDER.

It Was Known in Europe as Early as the Year 230.

We have evidence necessary to convict our judgment that gunpowder must have been known to European adventures long before we had any authentic record of it having been put to use in Europe. As early as the year 230 it is said that the Emperor Calligula had war machines which imitated thunder and lightning and threw stones from their mouths. It is probable that gunpowder was originally used by the Chinese, not for hurling projectiles, but to produce a great noise and sputtering and smoke for the purpose of frightening rather than of injuring an enemy, the same as they are now known to employ masks and dragons.

The original gunpowder mixtures were very crude indeed, being composed of charcoal and sulphur, or bitumen, mixed in varying proportions.

The idea of employing gunpowder as a propelling agent for projectiles probably originated from the use of the material in rockets for the purpose of projecting the substance itself, coupled with the expedient of placing the rockets in a stone mortar or bronze pipe to give them direction.

The first projectiles other than rockets were of stone, cast iron projectiles not having been invented until about the beginning of the fifteenth century. Mohammed II, in the siege of Constantinople, employed large bronze cannon for throwing balls of stone to breach the walls of that city. There is at Woolwich arsenal, in England, a bronze cannon which was used by Mohammed II at that siege. The gun is made in two parts, screwed together. The powder chamber is much smaller than the bore of the gun proper, carrying the projectile, in order to provide sufficient thickness of wall to withstand the high initial pressure of an explosive probably used in the form of fine powder.

Roger Bacon, who died in the year 1284, has often been considered as the original inventor of gunpowder. While he may have been an independent inventor of that material, he certainly was not the first to produce it.

Gunpowder, as originally made, consisted of a fine powder, being a simple mechanical mixture of its separate ingredients, probably saltpetre, charcoal and sulphur. The idea of making powder in cakes and then breaking the cakes into grains probably originated from the mixture of bitumen with gunpowder or from moistening and ramming hard to slow its combustion and better adapt the material for use in rockets. We have, however, no account of methodical granulation of gunpowder until 1525 in France.—Hiram Maxim in Anglo-American Magazine.

A GREAT TREE.

Largest in the Country Outside of the California Monstrosities.

Cook county has a tree almost within the limits of Chicago that is trying in a modest way to keep pace with the city in growth. It rears its majestic height in a field on the farm of Charles Lotz, 2½ miles west of Grosse Point.

It is the biggest known tree in the United States, the great sequoias of California alone being excepted. Three feet from the ground its girth is 41 feet; the diameter is 13 feet 6 inches. The height is 130 feet.

Yet this marvel, which hundreds of years ago may have been worshipping a savage race, has gone on year by year producing its foliage and in the order of nature casting it off, all unnoticed by Chicago. About its only admirer has been the owner, Charles Lotz. He guards it as jealously as he does his own children.

Aside from the great height and girth of the trunk is a remarkable hollow or room at its foot. This hollow is 26 feet in circumference, 8½ feet in diameter and 20 feet in height. A natural doorway 9 feet high and 4 feet wide is at the broadest part. A horse and its rider can easily pass through the interior. Three horses can easily be sheltered inside the mammoth trunk. The hollow is big enough to permit a dining table to be spread in its bounds, and there is room enough to spare for chairs, about the table.

The height to the first limb is 70 feet. A man of average size must take 2½ paces to complete the circuit of the big trunk. A competent authority on forestry has estimated that the tree, which, by the way, is of the cottonwood family, is no less than 600 years old. In the days of King John and Magna Charta this tree was flourishing. When Columbus discovered America, it was as large as its companions in the forest. It is known that even half a century ago it was as big and majestic as it is today.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Malaria and Mosquitoes.

It is well known that malaria is generated in swampy places. Such places are notoriously the haunts of mosquitoes. The spot of evil omen may be a puddle under the bedroom window or a mile of swamp a mile away. When the germs, introduced through the proboscis of the mosquito, have made their way into the human blood, they find there all they require for their subsistence and a nursery favorable for reproduction. The various stages of their life history are found to be synchronous with the various stages of ague and fever on the part of the patient, and it is highly probable that the various types of malarial disease may yet be traced to different species of parasite, each demanding its special variety of mosquito.—Nineteenth Century.

Pulling Strength.

An effort has been made to determine the pulling strength of elephants, horses and men. Attached to a dynamometer Barnum & Bailey's largest elephant registered a pull of 2½ tons on the second trial, but a smaller and more active elephant gave a record of 5½ tons—whether as the result of a steady pull or a sudden jerk appears to be uncertain. A pair of powerful horses registered a ton and a fifth, while it required the strength of 83 men to equal the pull of the smaller elephant.

Not in a Trifling Mood.

Mrs. Tilford (of Sorosis)—It must have taken Daniel Webster a long time to compile the dictionary; don't you think so?

Tilford—Daniel? You mean Noah, don't you?

Mrs. Tilford (tartly)—Now don't be silly. Noah built the ark.—Brooklyn Life.

Madrid authorities state that since the beginning of the sixteenth century their country has lost 600 war vessels by shipwreck.

TRICK OF THE TICKET SELLERS.

How Circus Patrons Sometimes Are Cheated Out of Their Money.

"Short changing," or "flimflaming," is practiced by an unscrupulous class of ticket sellers, said an old time circus ticket seller, "the opportunities that the business offers being greater than that of any other I know of. Everything is hasty and confusion, a man loses his head, doesn't think to count his change and becomes an easy victim, when under ordinary circumstances he'd detect the fraud. I'll attempt to describe to you one of the commonest tricks of 'flimflaming' on an extensive scale: A man approaches the booth, hunts in his pocket for change and finally pulls out a \$10 bill. The ticket seller takes the preliminary performance in at a glance and knows to a dead moral certainty that the man hasn't a thing smaller. He looks at the bill a moment, then sizes up his cash, as if in doubt. Then suddenly he turns to his victim and says:

"Is this the smallest you've got?" "The man tells him that it is. All of this has consumed but a fraction of a minute, you'd say, but in fact it has given the sharper a chance to fold the bill in such a way that none of the figures are visible, and there is nothing to indicate what its denomination is. The bill is passed deftly from the right to the left hand, in the palm of which is concealed a \$1 bill folded in precisely the same manner. It is the work of only a second to substitute one for the other, the ticket seller apologizing all the while for his inability to make the change, and the victim walks off unsuspectingly with a \$1 when he had \$10, and the chances are that he doesn't discover his mistake until some moments later. And then he fails to get satisfaction, for, of course, the short change artist denies the fraud emphatically.

"The ordinary way of handing a man short change in silver is beautifully simple. Say, for instance, a man buys two 50 cent tickets and tender a \$5 bill. Three dollars and a half in small change is placed in his hand hurriedly, and he walks off without counting it. Eventually he finds out that he's 50 cents 'shy,' but it is too late to make a kick. The short change man knows who to 'flimflam' and who to treat squarely. He sizes up his man at a glance and can come pretty near telling whether he'll count his money or not before leaving. That's where his knowledge of human nature comes into play.

"Ticket selling is a profitable employment outside of any illegitimate gains. A man can always count on finding his cash \$5 to \$6 'over' at the end of the day. The per cent of people who get excited in the confusion of the moment and leave their change on the counter is always great. This overplus goes to the seller, and the economically inclined showman doesn't have to touch his salary during the month."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

THE MYSTERY OF LIFE.

Conscious Movement May Exist Even in the Mineral Kingdom.

How far down in the scale of being goes the power of conscious movement which we are accustomed to associate with animal life alone? Mr. Arthur Smith, in some researches which he has lately made into the brain power of plants, thinks he has found indications of it in the vegetable world also.

It is well known that plants like the daisy, which shut at night, close also during an eclipse, which looks as if their movement was not periodical, but dependent on the will. And Mr. Arthur Smith gives us the story of a gooseberry bush which, when deprived of a sheltering garden wall, threw out a branch which made its way to a thick foliaged tree more than a yard off, although in doing so it had to climb over a barrier of bricks.

It is also to be noted that chlorophyll and other anasthetics have precisely the same effect upon carnivorous and other sensitive plants apparently endowed with the power of voluntary movement, that they have upon the animal organization. If, therefore, the lettuce does not remove itself from the clutch of the gardener who is going to cut it, it may be argued that it is merely because it cannot move quickly enough.

But does not something of the same sort occur in the mineral world also? Lord Kelvin has shown that metallic wires which have lost their elasticity from continuous strain will regain it if left for two or three weeks in a state of repose. And what is the mysterious force which compels certain solutions to pass from the liquid to that crystalline state which presents so many analogies with that of vegetable life? Thus there may be reason for thinking that life in some shape or another extends through the whole of nature and that even inorganic bodies may prove to be, as August Comte, following therein the Neoplatonists, thought possible, "susceptible of will and feeling."—Pall Mall Gazette.

Saints' Children's Names.

A very proper book on "Hebrew Proper Names," by Professor Gray of Mansfield college, Oxford, shows that the Old Testament saints did not call their children after themselves. The son of Abraham was Isaac, not Abraham, Jr., or even Ben Abraham. David had a son with Ben as part of his name, but none called David. It is rather singular that from Jacob the son of Isaac to Jacob (James) the follower of Jesus there is no second of the name. Soon after the time of Malachi we find parents giving their names to their own children, and in New Testament times it was quite common.—Interior.

Bismarck and Capri.

One of the most interesting things about General Capri was his resemblance to Prince Bismarck. The personal likeness between the two chancellors was so remarkable that they might easily have passed for brothers. Both had the same massive jaw, heavy gray moustache and bushy eyebrows, thick neck, square head and general air of blood and iron. An Anak to an Anak succeeded. Capri was as broad and as tall as his predecessor.

Insignia of Joy.

"Did your daughter marry happily, Mrs. Pusher-Brown?" "Well, we think so. Her husband's people gave her two barrels of cut glass." —Detroit Free Press.

"Our mean lifetime," writes Dr. Althaus in The Lancet, "is at present about 50 years, but the complete cycle of physiological life, to which we ought all to aspire, is 100."

Manitoba traces its origin from Manitou, the Indian appellation of "the Great Spirit."

TWO NERVY LOSERS.

EACH DROPPED A FORTUNE AND SEEMED TO ENJOY THE LOSS.

One Lighted a Cigar and Calmly Went Back to Sheep Herding and the Other Smilingly Started in Anew and Made Half a Million.

"There's no way of telling in advance how a man is going to take his complete wiping out in a game of chance," said the ex-mayor of a Colorado city when the talk at the club drifted around to the subject of hard losers and the other kind. "There's no rule about it. I've seen men of long tested gameness go all to pieces after big losses; seen them suddenly struck speechless, as weak as children, with their lips trembling like those of women who are about to cry. On the other hand, I've seen chaps with low foreheads and weak chins, and reputations for crawling and backing water in tight places, stand four square to the finishing wrenches of long runs of fearful luck and take their bitter medicine with hearts apparently as brave as their faces were weak. Probably the best educated and the most highly organized men are the hardest losers.

"The gamest loser I ever saw was a sheep herder who didn't look to have enough character to him to stuff a goat pelt. He was bunched sheep on the Idaho sage ranges for \$25 a month and his grub when an aunt in Connecticut whom he had scarcely ever heard of, much less seen, died left him \$18,000. He didn't have to come east to get the money; a lawyer handed it to him in a bundle in Pocatello. He went to Jim Hosford's faro bank and told Jim that he wanted to make a few thousand dollar bets. Hosford told him that he'd better hang on to his money. The herder told Jim that he wanted action on his money, and that if he couldn't get it at Hosford's layout, why, there were others. So Hosford dealt them from the box himself, with a \$1,000 limit. I saw the whole play. It only lasted 45 minutes. The herder wasn't in it at any stage of the game. Coppered or open, he couldn't land right. It was the forestest run of evil luck I ever saw a man have at faro. When the herder had lost \$13,000 Hosford said to him:

"You'd better pinch out that remain ing \$5,000. Ombrey; give yourself a chance."

"You hand me out another boxful, replied the herder. 'When I get enough, I'll quit.'"

"The man was perfectly cool and collected, and he laid down his last five \$1,000 bills without a tremor. He picked four straight losers. By that time the box was out, and Hosford rifled 'em and started another one. The herder watched them slip out for a minute, and then he put his last \$1,000 on the high card. That kind of long shot, playing don't do for cinch work, and the bet trimmed him out. There wasn't a particle of contraction to his features when he struck a match and coolly lit a cigar. I think those who saw the play felt a good deal sorrier for him than he did for himself.

"'Bad,' said Hosford to the herder. 'I'm no hog. I'll just split the difference with you, and he began to count out half of the money he had won from the sheep man."

"'No, you won't,' replied the herder, 'but you can give me a drink and a bottle to put in my pocket.'"

"'Better take a couple of thousand and run to Frisco or Denver and have a whirl out of it, anyhow,' persisted Hosford.

"'I've had my whirl,' was the man's reply. 'He wasn't sulky at all, and he didn't try to look abused. He was simply all man and all game."

"Where are you bound for now?" asked Hosford after settling for the drinks. "Back to the old G—S," said the herder, and he started for the ranch an hour later. He had bought three blue flannel shirts, a pair of top boots, and a poncho, and he took these things along with him in a bundle. They were all he got out of his \$18,000. He was found frozen stiff on the south bank of the Snake river the next winter.

"Tom Vanbrugh, who in the late seventies ran the two biggest layouts on the Pacific coast, one in San Francisco and the other in Portland, and who died a few years ago in Melbourne, Australia, was another splendid loser. His rival in San Francisco was Byron McGregor. McGregor had a big faro layout on Kearny street. The two men didn't particularly fancy each other. McGregor went up to Portland in the summer of 1878 and bucked Vanbrugh's bank there to a standstill. Vanbrugh closed the Portland place. Then McGregor brought his winnings down to Vanbrugh's San Francisco bank, and, with an almost unprecedented run of luck, lasting for more than a week, he closed Vanbrugh out. Vanbrugh realized \$60,000 on his California investments and took the bunch to McGregor's Kearny street place. McGregor dealt himself. Vanbrugh's luck seemed to have deserted him, and he lost every dollar of his money. He was broke."

"Vanbrugh," said McGregor to him, after the last turn out of the box, 'I'll give you \$20,000 a year and a percentage if you'll run a No. 2 game here for me.'"

"Much obliged," said Vanbrugh, 'but I've worked too long for myself to be tractable in another man's employ. I'm going to take a sail, anyhow.'"

"Would \$25,000, say, be of any use to you to make a start?" McGregor asked him. The two men, as I say, weren't particularly fond of each other, but they were very square and generous chaps.

"Not giving you a short answer, Mac, we haven't been on good enough terms for that," replied Vanbrugh, and he walked out. An hour later he was the most genial and collected man in his party out at the Cliff House. A lot of his friends offered to start him going again in San Francisco, but he smilingly asked them not to talk business during hours of diversion. The next day he was on board the steamer bound for Australia, and he never returned to San Francisco. His estate was inventoried at \$500,000 when he died.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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A REASONABLE REQUEST.

The friends of Superintendent Aldrich made what seems to be a very reasonable request of the school board, at the meeting last evening. As the members opposed to him seem to have no objections to Mr. Aldrich as an official, or at least they have so far failed to state any which are in any sense material, and as it must be conceded that he has kept the schools up to a high state of efficiency, Mr. Aldrich's friends ask that the matter be referred to the people at the next city election, and let the question be decided then, Mr. Aldrich being re-elected for six months.

The terms of office of five members of the board expire this year, and two tickets could be nominated, one representing the opponents of Mr. Aldrich in the present board, and the other representing his friends.

This would make a square issue of the question, and it would be a very interesting contest. As the Australian ballot is still used, in spite of the efforts of some of our state politicians, every voter could follow his or her preferences, and during the time between now and election, could study up the whole school question, and decide whether they wished Mr. Aldrich retained or not.

That committee, that is supposed to be making such an exhaustive report on the recent hearings in the several wards, could have it printed as a campaign document for the information of the people, and life in Newton would have a new interest.

This introduction of the referendum principle into school affairs would be a welcome change to those who complain that the school board is too absolutely autocratic, and for this reason the members may vote for the referendum, as they are on record as objecting on principle to autocrats.

The schools, meanwhile, would be well managed for another year, and then if the people decided to make a change, there would be some six months after the election to make carefully matured plans, and secure the best superintendent to be had to carry them out. This settlement, also, would do away with any cause for hard feeling in the matter, and school affairs in Newton would be as blissful as could be desired.

Of course, if the school board is afraid to submit the question to the people, for fear of an overwhelming defeat, or if they do not care whether they are in accord with public sentiment or not, as long as they carry their point, they will refuse the request, but we do not believe that any members of the school board are men of that stamp, or that they would pursue a policy that they knew was opposed by a majority of their constituents, as school committee men, like other public officials, are elected to represent the people.

SOME NEWTON STATISTICS.

ANOTHER volume of Mr. Horace G. Wadlin's state census has come to hand, this time dealing with the occupations of the people. We have quite a variety in Newton, in our population of 27,590, which are divided between the sexes as follows: males 12,355, females 15,235. Of these 18,871 are native born. There are 296 of our residents in government employ, of whom 61 are females, 595 males are in professional pursuits and 341 females. Over one quarter of our population are engaged in domestic service, 8,552, of which only 279 are males. In personal service 429 are engaged, and in trade 2,345, of whom 195 are females. In transportation 619 men and 28 women are engaged, while in agriculture there are 249 men and one woman.

Our fisheries only call for two men, and mining employs the same number. In manufactures 2,514 males and 825 females are engaged, while there are 1,922 laborers. There are 53 boys and 5 girls engaged as apprentices, 18 boys and 35 girls designated as children at work, while 2,498 boys and 2,476 girls are pupils in the schools. Students are a different class apparently, as of these we number 122 males and 259 females. There are 356 men and 239 women described as retired, and 13 men employed in not profitable occupations. The census enumerators would probably have found more of these if they had happened to meet business men on blue days.

The number of those unemployed for 12 months are 42 men and 103 women, and there are 42 males and 103 females described as dependents. The at homes number 1,394 males, and 1,312 females, though it is not stated what days these are held, and we have 170 males and 730 females who successfully eluded the inquisition and are put down as not stated.

These figures are also all carried out by wards. It will surprise many people to learn that while Ward 2 has the greater

number of foreign born, Ward 6 and Ward 1 have the greatest proportion of foreign born, while Ward 7 has the smallest. Ward 5 leads in the number engaged in agriculture, with Ward 6 a close second.

PRESIDENT HAVEMEYER was in a very confidential mood before the Industrial Commission at Washington on Wednesday, and with almost brutal frankness said that the tariff was the mother of all trusts, and the Dingley bill has given rise to those that have recently been formed. He said there probably was not an industry that required more than 10 per cent. protection, and this would cover the difference in the cost of production, and also prevent the people being robbed. He was careful to explain, however, that the sugar trust was not one of the robbers, and did not think it got sufficient protection. The Dingley bill, by its duty of \$40 a ton on imported sugar, he said, paid into the pockets of a few Louisianians on their annual crop of sugar, ten million dollars; to less than 150 foreigners in Hawaii, it pays another ten millions, and to other scattered producers four millions.

"Here you have \$24,000,000 extracted from the people of the United States for the sake of getting the revenue which \$40 per ton on foreign sugar provides. This is merely illustrative of the whole tariff—every line of it—and its effect upon the people. In fact, the tariff bill clutches the people by the throat, and then the Government and the attorneys-general of the several states take action, not against the cause, but against the machinery which the people employ to rifle the public's pocket. It would have been very easy and proper for the government to have put a corresponding internal revenue tax on sugar simultaneously with the imposition of the customs duty and have these \$24,000,000 which now go into the pockets of a few individuals, go into the treasury for the benefit of the whole people."

This appears to be about the rankest ingratitude displayed in recent years, especially when one recalls how many senators and congressmen were smirched by sugar trust speculations, in connection with tariff bills, but probably Mr. Havemeyer thinks he has made money enough to be able to afford to tell the truth once in a while. But it is no wonder the Hawaiian sugar planters wanted to be annexed, according to Mr. Havemeyer.

It is reported on the authority of one of the anti-Aldrich members of the school board that they will stand together as nine against the re-election of Mr. Aldrich, no matter what the opinion of the people may be. It is also reported, and the rumor is interesting, though its truth cannot be ascertained, that the anti-Aldrich men have in mind as a candidate Mr. Thomas Emerson, formerly superintendent in Newton at two different periods, and at neither time a very successful one, though he succeeded in having a school board so devoted to him that it took several elections to get a majority against him. If they should re-elect him, his stay would only be until elections could be held to turn out the men who voted for him. But what a change it would be from Mr. Aldrich, who stands in the front rank of educators, to Mr. Emerson. Another story is that Mr. Goodwin, formerly head master of the High school, is the candidate of the majority, and has been promised the place, as he does not like his position in New York. Mr. Goodwin has only had experience as a teacher in high schools, and his fitness for the position of a superintendent would remain to be proved. Neither Mr. Emerson nor Mr. Goodwin could properly be called experts, and as that is the most serious objection the majority openly allege against Mr. Aldrich, perhaps these two gentlemen have a good chance of being elected, but if they have a permanent position at present, they would be very foolish to leave it for an uncertainty.

REPORTS from all over New England shows that the prolonged drouth is doing serious injury to vegetables and unless it is soon broken many of them will be a more or less total failure. Hay will not be half a crop, and is so dried up that it is being cut two weeks earlier than usual. Strawberries are drying up on the vines, and most of those now in the market are poor in quality. The market gardeners will be heavy losers, though the higher price they will receive for what they do get to market will compensate them somewhat. Here in Newton the lawns are badly browned, in all cases except where the hose is freely used, and garden seeds have required several plantings, and then in many cases the owners have had to give up the contest. In the far West they have the opposite trouble, and the daily papers have frequent reports of destructive tornadoes, and rain storms, where three inches of water falls in less than twenty-four hours, and floods the country.

THE announcement that Mr. Powers was a candidate for Congress, made in last week's GRAPHIC, has called out a great deal of interest in Newton, and evidently he will receive a very cordial support from his fellow citizens, without much regard to party. Those independents who have the reprehensible habit of asking questions and looking up the fitness of candidates presented for their suffrage, have many of them announced that they will support Mr. Powers with great pleasure, as they think he is well-fitted for the position and will compare very favorably with any of the other congressmen from Massachusetts. This is a high compliment, as several of our Congressmen have made something like a national reputation during their service at Washington, and have had a good deal of influence in the House. If it depends on Newton there seems little doubt that Mr. Powers will be the next representative from this district.

THERE promises to be a lively contest over the successor to Sheriff Cushing, with the chances in favor of Acting Sheriff Fairbairn, who is in the line of promotion, and who is conceded to be well fitted for the place. There are plenty of other candidates, and the Boston Herald made a funny break in referring to Chief of Police Parkhurst of Somerville, by saying "The funeral of Capt. Melville C. Parkhurst, chief of police in Somerville for more than 25 years, have signed a petition, addressed to Gov. Wolcott, requesting the latter to appoint Chief Parkhurst sheriff of Middlesex county, to serve until next January." It will be seen that the Somerville man lost no time, but the Governor appointed Sheriff Fairbairn who

is well qualified to discharge the duties of the office until the next election is held.

THE West Newton people have changed from tennis to golf, and have enjoyed the golf tournament this week, which has excited as much attention as the old-fashioned tennis tournaments given by the Neighborhood club. One result of the golf craze and the many fine courses in Newton is said to be that more people than usual will remain in the city this summer and devote their leisure time to their favorite game.

IN the legal battle between the Western Union and the Bell Telephone, all except stockholders in the two companies hope that the lawyers will make their charges correspond to the usual practice of the two companies in dealing with the public. It ought to be easy to prolong such a fight as that until the lawyers have possession of the surplus of the two companies.

Death of Charles H. Stone.

The late Chas. H. Stone was born in 1827 in what is now Belmont, then a part of Watertown. His parents were of good old New England stock, and his boyhood was spent upon a farm. Early in life he entered the wholesale produce business with Isaac Sickney, on Chatham street, Boston. In a few years he succeeded him, and for nearly fifty years has been in the same business at the same location, the firm of Chas. H. Stone & Co. becoming widely known.

He was married in 1855 and moved to Newton, where he has since made his residence. He was a public-spirited citizen and for several years a member of the school board, and also for many years a member of the standing committee of the Channing church. All who were in any way connected with him realized the kindly traits of his character as well as his business ability. He leaves a widow and two sons, Mr. Fred W. Stone, a member of his father's firm, and Mr. Charles Stone, of the firm of Stone & Webster.

The following resolutions were adopted at a meeting of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, of which he had been for some years one of the trustees:

Resolved, That we desire to express our regard and high esteem for our late friend and associate, Charles H. Stone. For nearly half a century he has been known among us, and although modest and unassuming he did not lack a strong character. He was a model of integrity and business honor. No one who ever put faith in him in any matter great or small had reason to regret the confidence. His kindly bearing and gracious manner made it a pleasure to meet him, and the memory of his life will live long among his friends.

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be placed upon the records and sent to the family of our deceased friend.

The funeral took place Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late residence on Bellevue street. The services were of a simple character and conducted by Rev. Julian C. Jaynes, pastor of the West Newton Unitarian church. The Abbot male quartet rendered several selections. The pallbearers were Freeman J. Doe, of the firm of Gass, Doe & Co., Quincy market, Boston; Salmon P. Hibbard, of the firm of Fowle, Hibbard & Co., Quincy market, Boston; William H. Hills, W. R. Brackett, Newell B. Tainter and James S. McTear. The four latter gentlemen are associated with the firm of Charles H. Stone, of Chatham street, Boston. The interment was at the Newton cemetery.



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At the close of the program Mr. John Glover of Newton Highlands presented Post 62 with one of the original keys of the Liberty prison, to be added to the post's collection of civil war relics.

MARRIED.

EASTERBROOK-SOLIS—At the residence of the bride, Barnard avenue, Watertown, June 7th, by Rev. W. H. Savage, Miss Julia Pearson Solis to Mr. Edwin Easterbrook of Boston.

WEBB-BROWN—At the residence of Mr. James M. Brown, Newtonville, by the Rev. G. W. Shinn, D. D., Mr. Joseph Alfred Gover Webb of Westfield, Mass., and Miss Pauline Cunningham Brown of Reading, Mass.

SOULE-WALLACE—At Newtonville, June 10, by Rev. A. E. Dunning, William Gore Soule and Margaret Snow Wallace of Newton.

REGAN-LARNER—At Newton, June 8 by Rev. E. T. Butler, Patrick Regan and Margaret Lerner.

LACKEY-CASSIDY—At West Newton, June 11, by Rev. L. J. O'Toole, Thomas Francis Lackey and Bridget Cassidy.

ANDERSON-SJOBERG—At Boston, June 12, by Rev. C. F. Johnson, August Anderson of Boston and Hilda Sjoberg of Newton.

VARNEY-BACHELDER—At Wareham, June 14, by Rev. E. Hodge, Bert Alonzo Varney of Vienna, Maine, and Carrie May Bachelder of Newton.

GALLAGHER-CASHMAN—At Newton, June 14, by Rev. James A. Healy, Thomas Ambrose Gallagher of New York, and Mary Agnes Cashman.

REA-BECK—At Boston, June 9, by George H. Smith, Justice of the peace, William Francis Rea and Mary Ellen Beck.

GREELEY-LANARY—At West Newton, June 14, by Rev. L. J. O'Toole, Patrick J. Greeley of Windsor Locks, Conn., and Delia Catherine Lanary of Newton.

CONROY-CORDELL—At West Newton, June 14, by Rev. L. J. O'Toole, Eugene Francis Conroy and Elizabeth Cordell.

PARK-FLEMING—At West Newton, June 14, by Rev. T. P. Prudden, Arthur Henry Park and Hattie Louise Fleming.

NOONAN-WOODS—At Boston, June 14, by Rev. P. J. Daly, Gerald Herbert Noonan of Newton and Abiah Gertrude Woods of Boston.

CARLLE-SANBORN—At Newton, June 14, by Rev. E. A. Capen, Charles Hutchinson Carle of Boston and Lillian Clyde Sanborn of Newton.

GRANIGAN-McFADDEN—At Boston, June 7, by Rev. A. D. MacKinnon, John Samuel Granigan and Annie McFadden.

NETTENS-VANDERMIERDEN—At Newton, June 2, by Rev. Daniel Greene, Dominique Nettens and Anne Marie Elizabeth Vandermierden.

DIED.

HARRINGTON—At Newton, June 13, D. G. Harrington, D. M. D., 67 yrs.

ESTES—At West Newton, June 10, Mary J., widow of Charles G. Estes, 75 yrs., 11 mos.

STAPLES—At Newton hospital, June 9, Phoebe S., wife of Wm. P. Staples, 25 yrs., 4 mos., 22 yrs.

KEARNEY—At West Newton, June 11, Bridget, widow of Richard Kearney, 83 yrs.

QUILTY—At West Newton, June 11, Annie C., wife of Timothy T. Quilty, 44 yrs., 6 mos.

BUNKER—At Newton hospital, June 12, Loring Bunker, 23 yrs., 10 mos., 1 day.

HARRINGTON—At Newton, June 13, Daniel G. Harrington, 67 yrs.

STONE—At Newton, June 12, Charles H. Stone, 72 yrs., 18 days.

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ASSOCIATED CHARITIES—The office hours of the Secretary of the Associated Charities are from 9 to 10 every week day and from 7.30 to 8.30 Saturday evenings. The Provident Committee will be at the office to distribute clothing Tuesday forenoon and Saturday evenings. M. R. Martin, Secretary. Office, Newtonville Square.

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All notices of three lines and under, 25 cents each time; over three lines, ten cents a line.

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FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—A cut-under Carryall, extension top, in first-class repair; also Ladies' Thetford rubber tires, nearly new. Can be seen at G. W. Bush's stable.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Katherine R. Mackay, late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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April 29, 1899.

NEWTONVILLE.

—Charles O'Neil has gone to New York for a few weeks stay.

—Mr. George A. Clapp of Walnut street is reported as seriously ill.

—C. W. Beal of Lowell avenue is at Bath, Maine, for the month.

—Mr. and Mrs. George L. Keyes are spending the month at Hull.

—Mrs. Jennie Cook and family are away from town for a few days' rest.

—Ex-Gov. William Claflin is reported as ill at his home on Walnut street.

—The family of Mr. A. B. Rice will leave for their summer vacation next week.

—Mrs. R. M. Pulsifer left last week for her summer home at Old Orchard, Maine.

—Mrs. E. J. Goodwin of New York city was the guest last week of friends in this city.

—Mr. H. F. Ross of Walnut street has returned home after a short stay at Marblehead.

—Mr. Philip W. Carter entertained relatives last week at his home on Highland avenue.

—A special convocation of Gethsemane community was held Thursday afternoon. The temple degree was worked on several candidates.

—Mr. F. S. Rollins and family of Walnut street left this week for their summer home at Nantucket.

—Miss Ritta Hall of Roxbury was entertained last week by Miss Vera Rummery of Clyde street.

—Mr. and Mrs. William G. Soule sailed for Europe this week and expect to return the first of August.

—Dr. Blodgett of Walnut street, who has been confined to his home by illness, is reported as much improved.

—Messrs. George Sibley and William Harrington left this week for a few weeks sojourn in New York city.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Eustis of Omar Terrace are spending the summer months in Rutland, Vermont.

—The Ladies Missionary Society held a business meeting Thursday afternoon in the vestry of the Methodist church.

—Miss Grace Washburne of Highland terrace expects to sail for Europe the last of this month, to be absent several weeks.

—Mr. Edwin M. Thayer was an usher at the wedding of Mr. Drinkwater and Miss Clapp at Hingham, Wednesday evening.

—Mr. Geo. Pigott celebrated the 77th anniversary of his birthday on Saturday last, the event occurring on the Sunday following.

—Mrs. Garmon of Bowers street is recovering from a long and serious illness. Mrs. Garmon, with her son, Mr. Frank Garmon, will spend July and August in Northern Vermont.

—Rev. E. E. Davidson has returned home after a successful tour in New York and New Jersey. He will not resume his regular work till September, but will preach occasionally, as his service may be needed.

—The ladies of the M. E. church held a sale of ice cream and cake with some useful and fancy articles at the church vestry on Tuesday afternoon and evening, to obtain funds for recent repairs and fittings at the parsonage.

—There are letters remaining in the post-office for J. E. Fitzgerald Court street, Frank H. Jones care of M. Shannahan, John Williams, Nellie Desvieux 575 Watertown street and Miss Annie Feeny care Mrs. Thos. Nickerson.

—Regular meeting of Newtonville Baptist Division was held at the residence of Miss S. B. Upham, 14 Churchhill avenue, Wednesday evening. The next meeting will be at Mrs. O. B. Kilburn's, 11 Jennison street, Wednesday, June 21st, at 2 p. m.

—The boys' brigade of the Methodist Episcopal church were entertained at the church vestry Wednesday with a late afternoon collation. The sisters and friends of the young ladies assisted, and a very merry affair with ice cream, lemonade and frosted cake was enjoyed, all by themselves.

—The Methodist Sunday school observed children's day with their customary concert on Sunday evening last. A full house was in attendance, and an interesting program was presented. A very practical and interesting discourse was given to the children of the Sunday school by the pastor in the morning.

—A sad accident happened at the Columbus avenue station in Boston, Monday afternoon, when Edward F. Corey, aged 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Corey of 14 Harvard street fell from a train, and was so seriously injured that he died shortly after being taken to a Boston hospital. He was a student at the Mechanic Arts High school.

—The Sunday school of St. John's Episcopal church enjoyed their annual picnic on Tuesday. The children were the guests for the afternoon of Mrs. Avery, at her beautiful home on Crafts street. The grounds with music and all the amusements which children enjoy, were generously given up for their entertainment by their gracious hostess.

—The members of Dalhousie lodge, F. A. M., elected the following officers last evening: W. C. Brown, W. M.; C. H. Hays, S. W.; A. Avalon Graves, J. W.; Robert Bennett, treasurer; E. E. Morgan, secretary; J. A. Fenno, S. D.; Mitchell Wing, J. D.; W. C. Boynton, Robert Bennett and G. P. Whittemore, trustees of charity fund.

—Services at St. John's Episcopal church temple hall, Sunday, at 10:45 and 4 p. m. The rector, Mr. Loring, will conduct the services. Since Mr. Loring has been with this parish the attendance at the services has increased largely. The mixed choir will sing Sunday at both services. The offertory in the morning will be sung by a mixed quartet. The Sunday school had a very successful picnic in the spacious grove on Mr. C. F. Avery's estate.

—Wednesday evening the first of the band concerts at the Newton Club was given by the Waltham Watch Factory band. As in former seasons, the grounds at the rear of the club house were brilliantly illuminated with colored incandescent lights, tastefully festooned about the enclosure. Tete-a-tete tables were grouped on the lawn, and for two hours some 300 members and their friends enjoyed music and dancing. Without the grounds some 1500 people listened to the band.

Newton Boat Club Concert.

Following is the program for the concert at the Newton Boat Club house on Saturday, June 17th, by the Boston Cadet Band, F. E. Partridge, director:

March, "2nd Regiment."

Selection, "Carmen."

Waltz, "Blue Danube."

Cornet solo.

Mr. F. E. Partridge.

March Comique, "On the Levee."

Medley, "The Winner."

Waltz, "The Girl's Eye."

Selection, "A Runaway Girl."

March, "Whistling Rufus."

National Medley, "Columbia."

Artistic Literature of the Provinces.

The Plant Line has just issued a large colored map of the Provinces, which will be mailed to any address on receipt of a two cent stamp, and for four cents in stamps a complete set of illustrated booklets. Those who are "looking up" where to go this summer will do well to call for them. Address J. A. Flanders, 290 Washington street, Boston.

WEST NEWTON.

—Mr. Herman Bjornson is enjoying a two weeks vacation.

—Mr. C. F. Eddy of Cherry street is reported as seriously ill.

—Mr. Lane of Cambridge has accepted a position with Frank Lucas.

—Mr. H. B. Day's new house on Chestnut street is about completed.

—Miss Effie Jones of Rockland, Me., is visiting relatives on Otis street.

—Mr. W. L. Puffer and family of Forest street are at Bear Island, N. H.

—Mr. J. B. Chase and family of Hillside avenue are at Hull for the summer.

—Mr. Frederick L. Felton and family are at their seashore home at Hull.

—Mr. J. L. Damon, of Putnam street, who has been seriously ill, is convalescing.

—Mr. D. H. Church of Valentine street is entertaining his brother from New York.

—Miss Fannie B. Allen of Webster street has returned from a visit at Linnekin, Me.

—Mr. H. F. King and family of Temple street are at their summer home in Cottage City.

—Miss Lucella Allen of Philadelphia is the guest of Mr. N. T. Allen, Webster street.

—Dr. H. P. Perkins of Margit street has been enjoying a week salmon fishing in Maine.

—Rev. J. C. Jaynes and family will pass the summer season at Prince Edward's Island.

—Mr. Herbert Sheldon of Cherry street is enjoying a two weeks' vacation at Cottage City.

—The annual lawn party of the Allen English and Classical school will be held this evening.

—Mr. F. W. Sprague and family of Temple street are gone to their summer home at Barnstable.

—Tennison Rebekah Lodge will hold a strawberry festival in Odd Fellows hall, next Tuesday evening.

—Mr. John Avery and family of Perkins street left this week for their summer home at Crow Point, Hingham.

—Mrs. E. Bragdon of Cherry street left this week for Cornwall, N. Y., where she will pass the summer months.

—Mr. George H. Ingraham and family of Chestnut street left this week for their summer home at Rindge, N. H.

—Communion service will be held at the Congregational church, Sunday afternoon, June 25th, instead of July 2d.

—Capt. John Exley and James W. Bailey attended the New England Veteran Firemen's League at Boston this week.

—The family of Dr. H. P. Perkins of Margit street leave soon for Osterville where they will spend the summer.

—Mr. H. K. Burrison of Lincoln park left this week for Newfoundland, where he will enjoy a fishing and gunning trip.

—Judge and Mrs. Dunbar, formerly of this place, will sail July 12 for Europe, where they will enjoy the summer traveling.

—Mrs. Gardner Irving Jones, (nee Elizabeth Damon) of Putnam street, who is spending some time abroad, is at present in London.

—John Eliot Lodge, A. O. U. W., are making arrangements to participate in the Grand parade in Boston on the evening of June 29.

—Miss Ethel Perrin is in Springfield where she is attending the convention of the association for physical culture, under the direction of Dr. Gulick.

—Rev. George H. Cate delivered a lecture on "The Work of the American Trade Society in Cuba," at the Congregational church, Sunday evening. A large number of fine stereoscopic views were shown.

—The John Eliot Lodge, A. O. U. W., held its regular meeting, Wednesday evening. Four applications were read and several candidates were initiated. Visitors from the Newton Centre Lodge were present, and a smoke talk was enjoyed.

—Among the young women who will graduate at Radcliffe this year, is Miss Dora Drew, a daughter of Mr. Edward Bangs Drew, Chinese Commissioner of Customs. Miss Drew will return to China after graduating.

—Henry Hatfield of Cambridge was riding his wheel last Monday evening when he was run into by a team at the Washington street bridge. Hatfield was thrown but escaped with slight injuries. The bicycle was badly wrecked.

—There are letters in the postoffice for Miss Maria Anderson, E. A. Titch, Mrs. Clara E. Capen, Miss Mary Reider, Mrs. Thomas Hill, Mrs. A. A. Smith, Helen Karl Lerhovek, Dr. A. W. Stevenson, Mr. A. C. Nickerson, Luther B. Wyman, Rev. J. H. Pillsbury.

—Mr. Geo. T. Lincoln was "best man" at the wedding of his brother, Mr. Paul Kiddle, Lincoln, to Miss Mabel Lincoln Adams at Arlington, Wednesday evening.

—Mr. H. Sparks Johnson of Newton was one of the ushers, and Master E. Wilson Lincoln was the page.

—On the Brae Burn links last Monday afternoon, the Boston golf team defeated Brae Burn 10 to 4. In the second round F. A. Falvey of the Boston club equaled the amateur record of the course with a score of 40. Among the scores were the following: W. B. Merrill, 90; H. C. Perkins, 90; G. H. Phelps, 90; E. E. Buck, 92.

—An alarm was rung in from box 32 at 1:40 Tuesday afternoon, for a fire in the second room and one-half story frame dwelling on Pine street, West Newton, owned by the heirs of Patrick Sweeney. The fire originated in the upper portion of the house, which was badly damaged before the blaze was extinguished. The damage is estimated at \$200.

—At the Baptist church, Sunday evening at 6:30, the Christian Endeavor Society will have a temperance meeting. Very interesting and profitable exercises have been arranged, consisting of many brief facts relative to the subject, which will be given by members of the society. Vocal solos will be rendered by Miss Isabel F. Taylor of this place, and Mr. Morrill, a very fine bass singer from Mills. Everybody, old and young, is invited to attend.

—Miss H. Louise Flemming, daughter of Mrs. Hannah Flemming of this place, and Mr. Arthur H. Park, of Waban, were united in marriage Wednesday noon, at the home of the bride's mother, 97 Hillside avenue. The ceremony took place at 12 o'clock and was attended only by relatives and near friends. Rev. Theodore Prudden, pastor of the Congregational church, officiated. After a short trip, Mr. and Mrs. Park will reside at 315 Highland avenue.

—At the weekly meeting in Boston of the Interdenominational ministerial association of colored clergymen, Monday afternoon, the committee having in charge the farewell reception to Rev. Charles Satchell Morris of West Newton, prior to his sailing for Africa to found a self-supporting industrial mission among the natives, reported that it will be held Thursday, June 22. Mr. Morris is backed by the wealthy African missionary society, which will make a series of experiments of these self-supporting missions which are to extend over a period of five years.

—The Rev. Julian C. Jaynes of the First Unitarian church, who has been spoken of in connection with Dr. Edward Everett Hale's church, the South Congregational

of Boston, announced last Sunday morning from the pulpit that he would remain in this place. As the Rev. Mr. Jaynes has been pastor of the church for nearly 15 years and is exceedingly popular, his parishioners are greatly elated over his determination to remain with them. Much pressure was brought to bear, and the active members of the church may look upon Rev. Mr. Jaynes' favorable decision as a result of their efforts.

—Mr. and Mrs. Cook, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilder M. Bush of Temple street, have returned to their home in Philadelphia.

—Children's Day was appropriately observed last Sunday at the Unitarian church. The pastor preached a sermon especially for the little folk. There were floral offerings and exercises by the children. Special music, appropriate to the day, was rendered. Following the exercises a christening service was held. At the Congregational church the services and sermon were especially for the children, who occupied the front pews. The annual collection for the Congregational Sunday school Publishing Society was taken. The pulpits in both churches were artistically decorated with early summer flowers and potted plants.

—Eugene F. Conroy, the well-known painter, and Miss Elizabeth Condel were married last Wednesday evening at St. Bernard's parsonage. Rev. L. J. O'Toole officiating. Mr. T. Costello acted as best man, and Miss Mary L. Farrell, maid of honor. Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of the groom's mother, corner of Cherry and Derby streets, and was attended by a large number of relatives and friends. The happy couple were the recipients of many costly and useful presents. Mr. and Mrs. Conroy will be at home to their friends after July 1st, corner of Cherry and Derby streets.

AUBURNDALE.

—Mr. Thomas Kennedy of Auburn street is ill with malaria.

—Mr. E. A. Walker has purchased a new horse and carriage.

—Mr. John Frost has been spending a week at Gloucester.

—The Norumbega club held a regular meeting last evening.

—Fiske Brothers have closed their bicycle store on Auburn street.

—Mr. Thomas Bishop of Woodland road has been away on a vacation trip.

—Mrs. H. J. McAlvin of Lowell was in town this week the guest of friends.

—Mr. A. C. Farley and family of Central street are soon to depart for Europe.

—Mrs. Sidney Horton of Hancock street has returned from a trip to Vermont.

—Miss Bessie Lovering of New York is visiting her cousins on Woodland road.

—Messrs. Walter P. Thorne and Wallace Nickerson spent last Friday at Milford.

—Mr. Frank Benson of Lexington street has entered the employ of Mr. T. F. Melody.

—The Water Department has placed a new hydrant in position on Lexington street.

—Mr. B. L. Jones of Central street has gone to Europe, where he will make a stay of several months.

—Henry F. Mahan has been appointed a reserve officer and has been detailed for duty in this place.

—Mr. W. H. Muschlet of Baltimore, Md., has returned home after a visit to Mr. W. P. Thorne of Melrose street.

—Miss Pickard of Maple street is reported as having caught a fine string of fish at Rangely Lakes, Me., last week.

—Mr. Miliham has sold a house at the corner of Auburndale avenue and Prairie avenue to Miss Magee of Boylston street, Boston.

—Beginning last Wednesday the Commonwealth avenue street railway company is issuing free transfers to all parts of Newton.

—Mr. E. B. Haskell went on the introductory trip of "La Grande Duchesse" between Boston and the Provinces on Thursday last week.

—The Young Women's Missionary society of the Congregational church will be at the sell strawberries, ice-cream, cake and home-made candy to all who will come to the chapel after 4 p. m. on Thursday, June 22.

—Next Sunday morning, at 10:30, at the Methodist church, Rev. Mr. Worth will deliver a sermon to children of all ages—old and young. The children's concert, for which much preparation has been made, will be given at 6:30 p. m.

—June 21 is the date for the marriage of Miss Ruth Marie Sites and Rev. Francis Theodore Brown of this place. After the ceremony there will be a reception at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Nathan Sites on Hawthorne avenue.

—A few days ago a tandem, ridden by two Waltham men, knocked down a little boy named Callahan. The accident occurred near the corner of Melrose street and Commonwealth avenue. Young Callahan was quite badly bruised, and the front wheel of the tandem was broken.

—The second of a series of June Saturday evening promenade concerts was held last Saturday evening at the Newton Boat Club, Riverside. The event brought out Newton's younger society set in large numbers. From 8 until 10:30 o'clock the spacious grounds about the clubhouse presented an animated scene. As on former occasions, the grounds and clubhouse were brilliantly decorated with hundreds of Japanese lanterns. The scene was one of rare beauty. From the top of the flagstaff on the peak of the clubhouse long festoons of lanterns reached out on all sides, hung high over the heads of the gay throng on the club verandas. The evening's musical program, consisting of patriotic and other popular songs, was furnished by the Brooklyn Cadet band. During the hours of the concert, hundreds of canoes, gathered on the river in front of the boat-house, presented a picture long to be remembered. Within doors dancing was being enjoyed by over 100 couples in the club assembly hall. Over 500 persons were present during the evening.

The Pigeon Hill House.

This summer resort is one of the most charmingly situated of any in the vicinity of Boston. Located on a high bluff, overlooking a long stretch of the Charles river, guests can sit on the piazzas or under the fine old trees, and see the canoes and their merry occupants flit past, and as the Newton Boat Club house and B. A. Club house are but a short distance away, it is very convenient for boating parties, and all who wish to enjoy the life on the river.

Mr. Marden built up a high reputation for fine lunches and dinners last season, and this season has opened very successfully. Last week Tuesday, 125 people from the Ruggles street church of Boston had a dinner at the house, coming out by special electric cars, and music was furnished during the evening.

Last Saturday the resources of the hotel were taxed to the full. A. A. exercises drew great crowds to the river. A party of 50 had a specially ordered dinner, served in Mr. Marden's best style. Over 150 others lunching at the hotel, fifty of them being seated at tables arranged about the piazzas. The house and grounds were decorated with lanterns, and the music of

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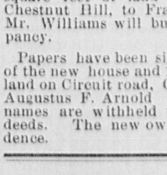
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NEWTON CENTRE.

A new house is being erected on Westbourne road.
A house is being erected on the former site of Trinity church.
Miss A. Louise Williams is enjoying an outing of two weeks.
Mr. W. O. Knapp, the grocer, has purchased two driving horses.
Mr. P. E. Hiney and family have rented the house 24 Paul street.
Mr. Bergen of Washington, D. C., has been a guest at the Polham house.
Mr. Louis Bell and family of Glenwood avenue leave this week for Maine.
Mr. H. G. Chase and family of Parker street are in Maine for a few weeks.
The Newton Centre Drum corps will parade in Charlestown on Saturday.
Miss Margaret Jordan of Langley road has returned from a visit in Lowell.
Prof. C. R. Brown of Parker street has returned from a visit in Franklin, N. H.
The Newton Centre Improvement association will put out its new flag on the 17th.

Mr. C. S. Chapin and family of Beacon street left last week for their country home.
Mr. Charles Glover leaves soon with a party of friends, for a vacation trip in Maine.
Ground has been broken for a house on Langley road near the corner of Glen avenue.
Mr. A. W. Armington of Parker street left Boston yesterday for the "Canada" for Europe.
Mr. L. H. Fitch and family of Summer street leave Saturday for Gloucester for the summer.

Mr. John Briggs and family of Parker street leave tomorrow for their summer home at Chatham.
The annual meeting of the Hale union will be held on Sunday evening at the Unitarian church.
Mrs. Florence Bodge of Maple park left yesterday morning for a visit to her daughter at St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. A. G. Slawright has taken the place of Mr. Lewis Sanford as baggage master at the depot.
Lewis Sanford, baggage master at the station, has been assigned to duty at station master at Longwood.

Mrs. W. E. Perry of Keene, N. H., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Linn of Beacon street.
Mr. and Mrs. George N. Towle of Dudley street left Boston Wednesday for the "Canada" for Europe.

Mr. Eugene Alden of B. B. Buck's left for his home in Hallowell, Maine, for a short vacation this week.
At the Unitarian church next Sunday services will be conducted by Rev. C. W. Wendte. Sunday school at 12.

A children's charity sale will be held at Mrs. H. W. Mason's, Ward street, on Saturday afternoon, June 24.
A missionary meeting will be held by the Young People's union at the First Baptist church on Sunday evening.

The electric cars commenced running Wednesday morning via Cypress, Paul and Centre streets to Newton Highlands.
Miss Marie K. Mead, who has been the guest of Dr. Powers of Beacon street, left on Thursday for her home in Vermont.

At the meeting this evening at the First Baptist church the topic will be "Christ's Commendation of a Woman's Faith."
The annual meeting and afternoon tea of the Ladies Aid society was held yesterday afternoon in the parlors of the Methodist church.

Mrs. F. E. Anderson of Gibbs street returned from California this week where she has been attending the Baptist May anniversary.
Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Walworth of Centre street returned from California where they have been attending the Baptist May anniversary.

The Odd Fellows' memorial service to be held in the Congregational church, Newton Highlands, has been postponed from June 18 to July 9, at 3.30 p. m.
Mr. Francis Dumaresq has arrived from Porto Rico, and is staying with his brother, Mr. Herbert Dumaresq, at the beautiful estate, Rocky Lodge, Chestnut Hill.

A meeting of the executive committee of the Newton Centre Improvement association was held at the residence of J. Albert Cole of Langley road on Tuesday evening. Plans for the Fourth of July were discussed.
Children's Sunday was observed with special services at the Congregational, Baptist and Methodist churches last Sunday. Special programs made up of recitations and choruses were successfully carried out by the young folk.

Mr. Frank Sanderson of Braintree avenue was tendered a reception in honor of his birthday anniversary at his home Tuesday evening. A large company of friends were present and Mr. Sanderson received many gifts as a token of their esteem and friendship.
The garden party given from 4 to 10 Tuesday afternoon and evening on the grounds of Mr. C. M. Ransom's estate on Commonwealth avenue, was largely attended by South side society people and netted a substantial sum for the treasury of the First Congregational church chapel fund. The spacious lawn was attractively decorated and occupied by several prettily arranged booths. In the evening the grounds were illuminated with hundreds of Chinese lanterns, adding much to the brilliancy of the scene. The affair was in charge of Mrs. A. L. Harwood, assisted by Miss J. Eva Ransom, Mrs. S. A. Sylvester, Mrs. G. E. May and Mrs. H. F. Russell. The tables were in charge of the following: Candy table, Mrs. W. A. Spinnery, Mrs. E. B. Bishop, Mrs. W. E. Shedd, Mrs. Royce, Mrs. Kimball, Miss Clark, Mrs. George, Mrs. K. Kidder, and Miss Mabel Smith; lemonade table, Mrs. Alfred E. Alvord, Mrs. William Parker, Miss Colby, Mrs. Ransom and Mrs. Baker; domestic table, Mrs. Henry Bailey, Mrs. A. D. Dowd, Mrs. C. L. Smith, Mrs. A. T. Clark, Mrs. C. A. Sawin and Mrs. A. D. Dowd; refreshment booth, Mrs. Henry Bevis, Mrs. Henry N. Clark, Mrs. Mainland, Miss Helen Davis, Miss Daniels, Mrs. W. Davis,

Mrs. Farnham, Mrs. George May, Mrs. Dill, Mrs. Folger and a score of young men and women.

"Luther, the Hero of the Reformation," will be the subject of the sermon by Rev. G. H. Spencer at the Methodist church on Sunday evening.

A pursuit race was held on the playground track last evening between Messrs. Sullivan and McGuinness. Mr. McGuinness won in six minutes.

Mrs. Nathaniel Wales, formerly of Oak Hill, died in Needham last Saturday, and was buried in Newton cemetery Tuesday. Mrs. Wales was Miss Alice Billings of Oak Hill.

The following list of letters is advertised at the post-office: Mrs. Mary E. Bassett, Langley road, Rev. Edward Braslin, D. D., Roxa Edmunds, R. C. Heath, Gertrude D. Thorpe, Jos. Trevor, S. Logan, J. W. Whitman, Mrs. Walter F. Wood, 35 Parker street.

A supposed mad dog attacked a pair of horses on Hammond street, Chestnut Hill, Wednesday morning. The animal bit at the horses' feet and jumped at the driver of the wagon, John Conney, when he attempted to drive it away. Conney managed to protect himself and finally cornered the animal until it was shot by a patrolman. The brain of the animal will probably be turned over to the cattle commissioners for analysis.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

The Burbeck family of Bowdoin street are at Foxboro.

Mrs. Nash has gone to New York for a vacation season.

Mrs. Simpson has gone to her summer home at Wrentham.

Mr. W. B. Taylor is having his house on Columbus street finely painted.

Mrs. Havens has been confined to the house for two weeks on account of illness.

Charley Bryant and his sister Annie have gone to Cambridge, N. Y., for a visit.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Wight, who has been quite ill, is now improving.

Miss Bessie Hooker, who has been teaching in Providence, is the guest of Mrs. Robbins.

Rev. T. W. Bishop will preach at the Methodist church next Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Williams of Boston are spending the summer with Mrs. Stone, Duncklee street.

Mr. Lowell Wilder, a student of the Institute of Technology, will spend the summer at Pigeon Cove.

Mr. Sweetzer, formerly of Cliftondale, now occupies the house on Griffin avenue formerly occupied by Mr. Newton Crane.

Miss Sarah Thompson, who has been teaching at New Salem, is at her home on Hartford street for the vacation season.

Mr. John Wenzel, who has occupied one of Mr. Dickerman's houses on Harrison street, at Eliot, has moved to Winthrop.

Mr. L. Fogge, who is building houses at Eliot, has moved from Danvers and occupies the Leonard Barker estate on Lincoln street.

Miss Fannie O'Connor, who has been in Boston for several weeks for an operation on one of her eyes, is now at home and much improved.

Mr. Lewis W. Sanford, who has been baggage master at the Newton Centre B. & A. R. station, has been appointed station agent at Longwood.

The Odd Fellows' memorial service to be held in the Congregational church, Newton Highlands, has been postponed from June 18 to July 9, at 3.30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Stevens, of Lincoln street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Frances E., to Mr. Roy Stanwood Whitecomb, of Malden.

Mr. C. F. Ferguson of Eliot street has gone to Nantasket, in the employ of Mr. W. B. McMillin, the builder, to assist in the erection of summer cottages there.

The Commonwealth avenue electric extension to the Highlands commenced running cars on Tuesday, giving free rides, and on Wednesday began running on twenty minute time.

E. J. Hyde's real estate agency has rented the Carbone estate, at the corner of Hyde street and Norman road, to Mr. G. L. Hersey, of the Cluett Bottling company of Millis, Mass.

Miss Helen May, from Cleveland, Ohio, and Miss Mary May, from New Bedford, are at their home here, and their mother, Mrs. George May, has gone to St. Johnsbury for a stay of a month.

Mr. Henry E. Williams of Norman road, announces the engagement of his daughter, Miss Florence May Williams, to Mr. Waldo Edwards Mason, formerly of Boston, now of New York.

At the morning service at 10.45, at All Souls Unitarian church, Highland Circle, next Sunday, Rev. Wm. S. Jones will preach. The Sunday school closed last Sunday with a flower service.

At the Congregational church next Sunday the Rev. C. E. Havens will preach in the morning on "The Roof of the World," the Epistle to the Asians. The second service will be "An Evening with five great hymns of the Church." The hour is 7.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6.30. Subject, "Our Country for Christ." Leader, Mr. George H. Mullen.

When ordering your dinner go to Hoyt's market in Patterson's building, and get your meats at Boston prices. Choice cuts, rump steak, 25c; sirloin steak, 25c; top round, 20c; rump roast, 16 and 18 c; rib roast, 12, 15 and 18 c; leg of lamb, 18c; Cornish hens, 22c; fore-quarter lamb, 19c. Also a full line of fish, poultry, fruit and canned goods at lowest prices. First class experienced cutter.

Saturday, July 1st, will be a red-letter day for the Highlands. That is the date for the summer fete for which the Improvement association is now at work. A lovely and accessible grove on Lake avenue has been selected as the site of the festivity, and the novel experience of a first class service with every body one knows and without any fatiguing travel is sure to make the occasion very popular.

The subject for the regular prayer and conference for women Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock will be, How shall the loved members of our households, fathers, brothers, husbands and sons, be won from a too exclusive love of lodge room and club membership into a life of obedience to their heavenly calling—to the church of God and His service? John 18: 29. The meeting will be in charge of Mrs. Helen M. Edes, to whom we are primarily indebted, under God, for these weekly meetings of great spiritual refreshing and precious Christian fellowship.

SCHOOL BOARD.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE OF CITIZENS GIVEN A HEARING LAST EVENING IN MR. ALDRICH'S INTERESTS—MANY CONVINCING FACTS BROUGHT TO THE BOARD'S ATTENTION—REMARKS OF MR. SAMUEL WARD CAUSE CHAIRMAN BENNER TO REMIND THAT GENTLEMEN THAT PERSONALITIES MUST BE OMITTED.

Strong in their determination to obtain the school board's full consideration of the address in Supt. Aldrich's interest, which was signed by over 1700 men and women of Newton, a committee of citizens headed by Mr. James R. Carter, appeared before the school board at a special meeting of that body last evening.

There were only two absentees, Messrs. Hamilton and Hornbrooke, when Chairman Benner called the meeting to order at 8 o'clock. The chairman explained the purpose of the meeting, saying that Mr. Carter and his committee wished that the meeting might be looked upon as a conference as well as a hearing.

Immediately Mr. Avery L. Rand offered an order, which in substance granted a hearing but not a conference. Mr. Daniel Dewey moved as an amendment that a hearing and conference be combined.

Mr. Dewey's amendment was put and lost. It was then voted to hold a hearing. Messrs. Hart and Rand were also on the committee to request Mr. Carter and his friends to enter the school board chamber.

Mr. James R. Carter was the first speaker. He said in part: "The history of this matter is doubtless familiar to you all. I felt, in bringing this matter to your attention again, that you had not given the address presented to you the full consideration it deserved."

"We have not entered this controversy as partisans, but in the interests of Newton's schools. We have tried in circulating this address for signatures, to obtain the opinion of those who are not supposed to have opinions that should be worthy to be heard."

"Many outside of Newton have expressed their willingness to sign our address, but we feel that this would not be just. In all the signatures, 1200 represent voters. In fact 1200 is nearly one-third of the number of ballots cast at our last city election."

"This I think should have weight with your honorable body. It is, of course, within your province to decide the question, yet we feel we have acted properly in seeking this expression of opinion."

"Is not all that has been said and expressed entitled to your consideration? Now my proposition is this: If you elect Mr. Aldrich for the balance of the school year, we are willing that the question should be made an issue of the next municipal campaign."

"Let us obtain an expression of public opinion at the polls. It will show whether your honorable body or this special committee is in the wrong."

Ex-Mr. or Henry E. Bothfield said: "I was not fully in favor of requesting this hearing and conference. I was quite certain that the school board would not grant a conference, and I knew from experience that a hearing seldom altered any person's vote. It has been said by some members of the board that the teachers' union in fear of Mr. Aldrich. This is a belief that no sane man would entertain. The teachers themselves have shown by their statements and concerted action that this statement is without foundation."

Your chairman is reported to have charged Mr. Aldrich with being an educational expert. I venture to say that Mr. Aldrich's success as a teacher and his success as an educational matter are limited."

"Let us have an expert to properly conduct Newton's schools. Today is an era that requires experts in the management of things. Every business firm and manufacturing places its reliance on the experts they employ. Mr. Aldrich is said to be autocratic and dictatorial. After all, these little things that have provoked some of you are but trifles. No business man parts with the salesman who sells the most goods at the most profit because of some dislike of manner or temperament. No one questions but that Newton schools should be managed by the best men available. Mr. Aldrich has had them in his charge. He should be judged by his work and its results. The special committee had hoped that this evening's hearing would be in the form of a quiet conference. An exchange of ideas would be valuable in coming to an understanding upon this important subject. It being conceded that it is right to judge a man by his work, it is not right for public servants to allow personal prejudice and disappointments to so blind them that they see nothing but those things which are of no importance to the public weal, even if some supposed consequence to themselves. I believe that a full expression of public opinion would be obtained if this question should be left for the citizens to decide, when three or four candidates are to be voted for at the next city election. I can say that in Ward 7 no such number of men could be found to oppose Mr. Aldrich as the number who signed the petition in his favor. We believe we speak for the majority of the citizens in this matter, and are willing to rest our cause with the people and let it stand or fall by popular vote."

Mr. J. P. Tolman was the next speaker. He said he had children in the Newton schools continuously since 1884. He had noticed an increased improvement, and an increased interest in the schools, work manifested by the teachers. I am sure Mr. Aldrich's services have been of great value. He has done much for the Newton schools, and he has done it in a way that has forced the people at the next city election the best and truest expression of public opinion would then be obtained. Mr. Tolman told of several cases of convulsion seen without him, and a strong determination to oust Mr. Aldrich. After meeting the superintendent they had changed their minds.

Mr. Aldrich had been unusually wise in his management of school affairs, and had shown much sagacity.

Mr. Samuel Ward was emphatic in saying that some of the present school board members had pledged themselves to down Mr. Aldrich, when elected last fall, and that a carefully laid political scheme was successfully carried out, but the voters knew not that they were aiding in such a course, when they innocently voted for the only nominees for the school board. Last fall both of the Ward 6 members of the school board agreed to retire. It was with great surprise that I learned at the caucus, that Mr. Huntington had changed his mind and would go back, in order to carry out certain plans of the school board as stated by a member of this board in a letter which was read at the caucus.

At this point Chairman Benner requested Mr. Ward not to indulge in personalities. As to what those plans were, I have no proof, but I do have a very strong suspicion.

Continuing Mr. Ward said he had never met a more courteous gentleman than Mr. Aldrich. He had differed with him on several occasions, but was willing to admit that he, Mr. Ward, had often been in the wrong.

Mr. Albert Carter told of what care had been exercised in sending out the posters for signatures and expressions of public opinion, and Mr. Mitchell Wing endorsed the remarks of the previous speakers. In conclusion, Mr. Carter urged the board to fully consider the subject and weigh everything that had been said.

At 9 o'clock the hearing was closed and immediately the school board adjourned.

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PROMENADE CONCERT.

THE NEWTON CLUB'S FIRST JUNE PROMENADE CONCERT A GREAT SUCCESS.

The promenade concert given by the Newton Club Wednesday evening, was a brilliant affair in every way, more than compensating for the disappointment caused by the rain of the week previous. It is estimated that over a thousand people were present from Boston, Newton, Brookline and other suburbs.

That the concert was a success would be stating it mildly. The weather, always an important factor, owing to the holding of the concert out of doors, was ideal. The summer costumes of the ladies, many of which were particularly smart and pretty, were conspicuous everywhere, and added greatly to the picturesque of the scene.

The concert was held on the spacious lawn and tennis courts, in the rear of the clubhouse. As on former occasions, the lawn was inclosed by a high canvas wall, completely shutting off the grounds from the street.

Within the scene was one of brilliancy and beauty. From every post and corner, and from other points of vantage, gleamed hundreds of electric globes, which cast their soft light over every part of the inclosure. From the top of a flagstaff, in the centre, long festoons of red and white incandescent lights, reaching out on all sides, hung high over the heads of the gay throng beneath. The canvas walls were decorated, being bright with lights and bunting.

The clubhouse itself, or at least that side facing the lawn, was ablaze with lights. At intervals throughout the inclosure were arranged tete-a-tete tables, where refreshments were served.

While the concert was in progress the streets surrounding the clubhouse were thronged with people, who came from all parts of the city to hear and enjoy the music. There were hundreds of bicyclists in the streets, old and young.

The musical program, consisting of patriotic and other selections, was furnished by the American Watch Company band, under the direction of John M. Flockton. The musicians were seated on a raised platform in the rear of the grounds, which were bright with electric lights. At each corner blazed forth in electricity the club fleur-de-lis, while suspended in the centre were the club initials, "N. C. C."

After a concert from 8 to 8.30 o'clock, the tennis courts were cleared, and dancing was enjoyed on the canvas covered surface until 11 o'clock.

The musical program was as follows: March, "La Zouave," Reger; Overture, "Oberon," Weber; Two-step, "Hannah's Promenade," Carey; Grand selection, "Faust," Gould; Waltz, "Himmelsreise," Waldteufel; Introduction and bridal chorus from "Lohengrin," Wagner; Two-step, "Smoking Mokes," Holzmann; Waltz, "Blue Danube," Strauss; Schottische, "Dankie Frolics," Rollinson; March, "2d Connecticut," Reeves.

Newton Highlands Extension of Commonwealth Avenue Street Railway Opened.

The Newton Highlands extension of the Commonwealth avenue street railway company's tracks was formally opened yesterday afternoon.

At 5.30 a special car containing Pres. Claflin of the Commonwealth avenue street railway company and about 20 invited guests left the Chestnut Hill waiting station and passing over the boulevard station, reached the new tracks at Newton Centre.

The trip was made from Newton Centre to Newton Highlands over the new line which had been constructed in Cypress, Paul, Boylston and Centre streets. At Newton Highlands the party was entertained by Alderman White at his residence on Centre street.

From Newton Highlands the special car returned by way of Newton Centre and West Newton to Norumbega Park where supper was served.

The guests included Mayor E. B. Wilson, Judge J. Charles Kennedy, City Solicitor Slocum, Treasurer L. D. Ahl of the Commonwealth avenue street railway company, Street Commissioner Charles Ross and Aldermen Dana, Pond, White, Baily, Lohrman, Norris, Niles, Fisher, Nagle, Stickney and Warren.

The new line gives the residents of Newton Highlands direct connection with Boston by electric car service. The trip is made from Newton Highlands to the Chestnut Hill reservoir in 16 minutes, and cars are run on 20-minute time.

Cars were run for public travel for the first time yesterday morning and since that time have enjoyed a liberal patronage.

Under the provisions of a franchise granted the Commonwealth avenue street railway company for its new extension, free transfers to all lines crossing its tracks will be issued.

Riverside Recreation Grounds Gossip. Arrangements are being made for the holding of the annual championship meeting of the New England Association of the Amateur Athletic Union at the Riverside Recreation Grounds on the afternoon of Saturday, June 24.

A large number of entries for the different events have already been received by the committee and the meet is an assured success.

The list of events will include a 100 yard dash, 220 yards dash, 440 yards run, 880 yards run, one mile run, potato race, throwing discs, 120 yards high hurdles, 220 yards low hurdles, running high jump, running broad jump, putting 16 lb. shot, pole vault. As soon as there will be swimming championship events of 100 yards, 200 yards, 440 yards and 880 yards. Gold and silver medals will be given in each event. The different scratch events will be open to all amateur athletes registered with the N. E. A. A. U.

Besides the large number of athletes and their friends, who will attend the meet, the members of the Appalachian Mountain Club have been invited to be present.

Yesterday afternoon the doctors of the Boston City Hospital staff, held their annual athletic meet at the grounds.

New Buildings. The following permits have been issued: Linwood avenue, Ward 2, 1-story brick garage, 35x70; N. W. Tupper, owner; Otis C. Lyon, builder; H. J. Preston, architect. Cost \$1,800.

Austin street, Ward 3, 1-story stable and house, 58x31. Hot water, J. R. Carter, owner; S. H. Smith, builder. Cost \$4,000.

Walworth street, Ward 3, 2-story apartment, 30x40. Furnace, bath; Aug. H. F. Otto, owner; Jas. N. Miller, builder. Cost \$4,000.

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Walworth street, Ward 4, 2-story house, 28x32. Furnace, bath; Jos. Wennerland, owner; Foster, builder. Cost \$2,000.

Newtonville avenue, Ward 1, 2-story house, 28x37. Furnace, bath, R. S. Wentworth, owner; Hawkins & Watts, builders. Cost \$6,500.

Walnut street, Ward 6, 2-story stable and shed, 30x50. Stoves; J. H. Bonnard & Co., owners; J. F. Currier, builder. Cost \$1,000.

Balcarres road, Ward 3, alteration of stable to house, 26x34. Furnace, bath, John W. Lindsay, owner; W. W. Calkins, builder. Cost \$4,000.

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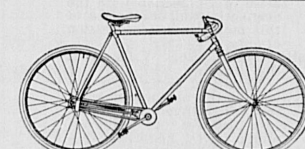
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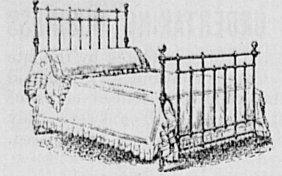
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—Mr. C. D. Kepner and family are at No. Weymouth.
—Mr. Harry Bodge of Richardson street is enjoying a vacation in Gorham, Me.
—Miss Mande Bush leaves next week for an extended visit in Plainville, Michigan.
—Rev. J. B. Gould and family of Bennington street left this week for Cottage City.

—The Newton Cricket team play the Lynn Wanderers at Newton tomorrow afternoon, with the first of the week, Brookfield.
—Mrs. Charles Billings of Franklin street left this week for her summer home at Magnolia.

—Miss Edson of Boston was in town Tuesday, the guest of Miss Whiton of Church street.
—Mr. Geo. J. Thomas of the Brackett Market Co., has recently been granted a patent on a valve.

—Mrs. D. G. Harrington is visiting with relatives in Westboro, but will return to Newton, June 29th.

—Miss Ella F. Lunt of Richardson street spent several days the first of the week, visiting friends in Fitchburg.

—Miss Helen Howes of Park street has returned from Smith College, Northampton, for the summer vacation.

—Miss Gertrude H. Paine of Brooklyn, N. Y., has been the guest this week of Dr. and Mrs. Frisbie of Centre street.

—Miss Hackett, who has been visiting relatives on Centre street, returned Wednesday to her home in Dover, N. H.

—Miss Priscilla Alden of Centre street has been the guest this week of Miss Eddy, at her summer home at Harwichport.

—Rev. E. C. Holmes, pastor of the Methodist church, will exchange Sunday morning, with Rev. G. H. Spencer of Newton Centre.

—Col. A. M. Ferris of Washington street is a prominent candidate for commander of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company for 1900.

—Mr. C. T. Leeds of Bennington street has passed the West Point entrance examinations, and has been appointed to a cadetship from Massachusetts.

—Mrs. O. M. Packard has issued cards for the marriage of her niece, Louise Agnes Brown, to Max Hermann Haase, on Wednesday, June 28, at 21 Orchard street.

—Mr. Roy A. Bush of New Braintree, Mass., a graduate of the dental department of the University of Pennsylvania is here the guest of his uncle, Mr. George W. Bush.

—A parlor conference in the interest of the Newton Y. M. C. A., was held at the home of Mr. F. A. Day on Monday evening. Plans were discussed for the work of the coming year.

—Music in Grace church Sunday evening: Processional, "Onward Christian Soldiers." Anthem, "Lead Kindly Light." Foster in A. Recessional, "The God of Abraham Praise."

—Mrs. William F. Hammett and her father, Mr. Charles D. Hartshorne of Watertown, were in town Tuesday, N. H., this week, attending the 90th birthday celebration of their relative, Mrs. Sarah Brown of that city.

—The Boston Elevated Railroad was recently granted a two track location on Main street, Watertown, by the Watertown selectmen, on condition that cars be run to Boston via Newton as well as through Harvard square.

—Aban, Trowbridge & Co., the real estate agents, have sold the Rand house, 85 Newtonville avenue, to Robert L. Young of Newtonville. The same firm have also rented the house 39 Jefferson street, to Mr. William J. Orr of Newton.

—A resident of Newton, who had joined in the greeting to President McKinley at Northampton on Monday, was surprised to find himself on the following morning a fellow-passenger with ex-President Cleveland in a Boston bound sleeping car.

—The Entertainment Club held a special meeting in the parlors of the Channing church, Monday evening, which was largely attended by members. The resignation of Mr. Ralph W. Angier as president, was accepted, and Mr. Frank D. Frisbie chosen to fill the vacancy.

—The managers of the Newton Country Week return thanks to all who contributed in any way to the success of the sale, which netted about one hundred and forty dollars. A number of useful and fancy articles remain, which can be purchased any time during the next week.

—The annual Sunday school picnic of the Methodist church will be held tomorrow at "Wauchakum" Lake, South Framingham. The Methodist churches at Newtonville and Newton Lower Falls will unite with the Newton society this year. In the morning there will be sports for the young people, and in the afternoon a base ball game between teams representing the Newton and Newtonville societies.

—It is reported that Mayor Wilson is likely to veto the order adopted at the last meeting of the board of aldermen authorizing the purchase of additional land for the new Bigelow school site, at a cost of \$7000. By doing this, it is thought, no demand for this additional land, while others claim the new building will occupy so much of the original lot that no room will be afforded for a pupil's playground.

—On Saturday morning at his home, 626 Centre street, occurred the death of Mr. Walter David Eaton, a well known wool commission merchant of Boston. Death was due to Bright's disease. Mr. Eaton was born in Dexter, Maine, 68 years ago, and had made his home in Newton for the past two years. His Boston office was at 61 Leather square. A wife and two daughters survive him. The funeral took place at 2 o'clock, Tuesday afternoon, from the house. The services were largely attended by friends, and were in charge of Rev. Dr. Gunnison of Worcester, Mass. The interment was at Dexter, Me.

—Mrs. D. B. O. Bourdon of this city has received this week a conspicuous honor at the hands of her sister graduates of Mount Holyoke College, in her election as president of the National Alumnae Association, at its annual session on commencement day. Mrs. Bourdon has been brought into prominence in Mount Holyoke circles, by her successful service during the past year as president of the Boston Alumnae Association, to which position she was recently re-elected. The national association is a body of much influence in college affairs, being officially represented on the board of trustees, and doing much work in advancing the well being of the college. Mrs. Bourdon was a guest at the college during the commencement festivities, which were made of unusual interest by the visit of President McKinley. Among other New-

ton guests at commencement were the Misses Wilder and Miss Grace M. Burt.
—Buy fireworks at Tainter's. Boston prices.

—Razors sharpened with guarantee, by Burns, Cole's block.
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—Mr. J. C. Elms, Jr., and family, are at Menashaug, for the summer.
—Mrs. Benjamin Merritt has opened the Mayflower Cottage at Seltimate.

—Mrs. C. E. Billings left on Tuesday for her summer home at Magnolia.
—Mr. John Eaton of Waban park spent the 17th with friends in Providence.

—Mr. Charles Burgher has been granted a patent on a thermostatic instrument.
—Mrs. George C. Lord and Miss Lord are at their summer home at Elms, Me.

—Mr. W. C. Briggs of Washington street spent Sunday on the Cape visiting friends.
—Mr. J. B. Gould of Bennington street has left for Cottage City to spend the summer.

—Miss Barney of Maple terrace has returned from her school at Saratoga, New York.
—Mr. Frank A. Day and family of Sargent street are at their summer home at Wianno.

—Miss Ethel S. Gilman of Baldwin street was among the graduates of Smith College this week.
—Mr. Fred A. Gay and family of Billings Park have gone to New Boston, N. H., for the summer.

—Mr. A. F. Adams and family of Park avenue are at Hotel Preston, Beach Bluff, for the season.
—Rev. Dr. Marshall of Everett preached last Sunday morning and evening in the Baptist church.

—Mrs. Elizabeth W. Lane of Elmwood street returned last Friday from a week's stay at Cohasset.
—Mr. Carl Ellison of Vernon street leaves this morning for a several weeks stay at Pigeon Cove.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Briggs of Washington street have returned from a short visit with friends on the Cape.
—Mr. Arthur Lane of Elmwood street left Monday for Maine, where he will engage in business until fall.

—Miss Flora Wise of Maple street spent several days the first of the week with relatives in New Britain, Conn.
—W. H. S. Pierce and family of Newtonville avenue have left for Alton, where they will spend the summer.

—Mrs. J. H. Wheeler and her son and daughter of Centre street have returned this week from Rutland, Mass.
—Col. A. M. Ferris of Washington street was elected a member of the Mass. Republican Club at its recent meeting.

—Mr. H. E. Bothfeld left Tuesday night on a business trip to St. Louis, and will return the latter part of next week.
—The New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., have been laying a new cable in the conduit on Centre street, this week.

—Miss Carrie Childs of Richardson street has returned from Northampton, where she has been attending Smith College.
—Mrs. W. S. Hutchinson and her sister, Miss L. L. Berry, who have been staying at Hotel Langwood, Middlesex Falls, are now at home.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Childs of Richardson street have been attending the graduation exercises at Smith College, Northampton this week.
—Miss Elizabeth Leavitt of Peabody street returned the first of the week from Northampton, where she has been attending Smith College.

—Rev. Benj. H. Bailey of Malden will preach in Channing church, Sunday, June 26th. Subject, "Goodness—the Organic Power of Life." All are invited.
—The Glorious Fourth is coming. Don't forget the Newton Bazar. Crackers and fireworks. Lowest prices. Books from our Circulating Library, 10 and 25cts.

—In the base ball game on Stearns' field Saturday, between the Waverleys of South Boston and the Nonantums, the home team was victorious. Tomorrow they play the Atlantes, a very strong colored team.

—Miss Alice G. Mullen of Adams street, organist at St. John's church, Newton, was the recipient of a gold medal for instrumental music at Notre Dame Academy, Berkeley street, Boston, last Tuesday.

—Newton was well represented in the senior class of Smith College, which had President McKinley as a guest at its commencement. Among the graduates were Misses Emily G. Cheney, Mary G. Childs, Ethel S. Gilman of Newton, Gertrude H. Paine of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Marjorie King of West Newton.

—A number of young people enjoyed a pleasant afternoon last Saturday, at Miss Florence Ivy's on Fairmont avenue. The program consisted of songs, games, and a play that was so pleasing that the actors were compelled to repeat it. Miss Helen E. Childs gave two delightful songs, accompanied on the piano by Miss Lillian Ware. The games of flags, states, authors and others were enjoyed. The winning players were Miss Anna Wellington and Miss Rosalind Kenway. Lemonade was served during the afternoon, and at six o'clock the company separated.

—As a result of a number of complaints on the part of citizens, the city government has referred the matter of free transfers on several of Newton electric lines to City Solicitor Slocum for re-adjustment. The complaints are said to be the outcome of the action of the Wellesley & Boston street railway. This company has, since the opening of Norumbega park, been running special public cars from Nonantum square to Norumbega park. They have, however, refused to accept or issue free transfers. This has led to disputes between conductors and passengers, and as an alternative the citizens have carried their burden to the aldermen.

—C. Edwin Stearns died last Friday evening at his home on Church street, after a short illness. Mr. Stearns had been a sufferer from Bright's disease, though only recently had been obliged to retire from active business. He was born in East Boston, Dec. 28, 1835. When quite young, he removed with his parents, to East Cambridge. He received his education in the schools of the latter place, and soon after his graduation engaged in business in Boston. Later he went to California, returning to Boston about thirty years ago. For the past 27 years, Mr. Stearns has been in the employ of the Stearns firm in Boston. He leaves a wife, The funeral service took place Sunday afternoon at the house at 3 o'clock, and were in charge of Rev. W. M. Lisle of West Newton, and Rev. C. E. Holmes, pastor of the Newton Methodist Episcopal church. The interment was in the Cambridge cemetery.

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STRUGGLE ENDED.

Superintendent Aldrich's Defeat Is Now Certain.

Indicated by School Board's Action at Special Meeting Last Evening.

The finish of the struggle for the superintendency of the Newton schools came last evening, unattended by any unusual excitement. In response to a call issued by Messrs. Hamilton, Howes and Bond 12 members of the board met in the old Claflin school building.

At 8 o'clock Chairman F. T. Benner called the meeting to order, saying a special meeting of the committee had been requested by three members of the school board, who wished the matter of a superintendent of schools further considered by that body.

Dr. J. A. Hamilton was the first speaker. He said in part: "I suppose that I am responsible for the request for this special meeting. I had some hesitating about making it, but when I considered the importance of the step we are about to take it seemed to me quite proper that we should hold a meeting preliminary to the election of a superintendent of schools."

"It is important to me because I have had little conversation with members about it. I have been absent from several meetings and did not talk it over with other board members because I am opposed to private interviews of this kind."

"To get at all the facts and to obtain increased light on the question I considered this special meeting necessary. Another reason is the feeling of the community. It is at present of a very excited nature. I have conversed with many citizens on this subject and am convinced that these circumstances are of great interest."

"Our action is final, and our responsibility great. Our responsibility is increased because of the difference of opinion which exists throughout the city."

"We have appointed an able committee to nominate a superintendent and I believe it will fairly deal with this question. It seemed to me, however, that before final action was taken by the school board, we should hear from this committee. It will be impossible for me to be here next Wednesday evening, and at that time you know the matter will be finally disposed of."

"Although I have heard it said there is nothing that can change the feeling of the school board on the question, I do believe the school board will act with a largeness of view and consideration."

"I have been told by citizens that the school board did not intend to recognize the expression of citizens. I should deprecate anything of this kind, and would like to have the merits of the case thoroughly discussed."

Mr. Lawrence Bond of Ward 3 was the next speaker. Mr. Bond said: "I believe it will be difficult for the board to act on this subject without previous information, and will therefore offer this order: 'Whereas, in the opinion of this board, it is desirable that no election of a superintendent of schools take place until the beginning of the next municipal year, resolved that it is the pleasure of this board that the present superintendent of schools continue in office until Feb. 1, 1900, and that in conformity with this resolve, such action should be taken at the next meeting, as will postpone the election of a superintendent of schools until after the second regular meeting of the school board in January, 1900.'"

Continuing, Mr. Bond said: "I should like to ask if the nominating committee has anything to report this evening?"

F. T. Benner—"In this regard I can say that the nominating committee has spent much time in the consideration of this question, and has made progress. It is ready, however, to report at this meeting."

"It is the sentiment of this committee that a reasonable time should be given the members of this board to consider the subject. Of course they do not desire the matter delayed, but are all of the opinion that the school board should not be expected to vote immediately upon the receipt of the report. The committee will give the members such information as they may ask."

Mr. Bond—"I should be glad to see this matter laid over until after the fall election. The board has seen the memorial of the people, and I believe these people are correct. I believe Newton people want Mr. Aldrich retained on account of his qualifications and abilities."

"When the fall election comes the people who have shown such a remarkable interest can express their feelings in regard to the present board's action. I trust this resolution will be adopted, and the election of a superintendent laid over."

Mr. Howes of Ward 7 said: "I think the gentlemen who have asked us to postpone the election of a superintendent fully recognize the powers of the board, but regard the exigencies of this case as very grave."

"It seems to me that in all fairness and justice we should consider the feeling of the people. If they think a change necessary, all well and good, but I think this action should not be taken until they are heard."

Before putting the motion to adopt the resolution, Chairman Benner called for further remarks. All the members remained silent, and the show of hands was counted. It resulted in a vote of 9 to 3 against the resolve.

Mr. Howes said he had prepared another order, which asked that a printed copy of the nominating committee's report be given to the members before the meeting next Wednesday evening. In view of what Chairman Benner had said of the committee, he would not present it, however. Mr. Howes, continuing, said he would like an opportunity to investigate the new superintendent and his antecedents before next Wednesday's meeting.

Mr. Hardy endorsed what Mr. Benner had said regarding the nominating committee, and said that that committee had no disposition to request the board to elect a new superintendent until the matter had been fully considered. At 8:35 o'clock the board adjourned.

Newton Boat Club Concert.
The Boat club concert on Saturday evening will be the great musical event of the summer season, as the music will be furnished by the famous Reeves' American band of Providence, R. I., which is one of the best organizations in the country. A fine program has been arranged as follows:

1. March, "Great Republic," Thiele
2. Overture, "Jubel," Weber
3. Solo for Cornet, "The Holy City," Adam
4. "a Hungarian Mazurka," Gaunee
5. "b Southern Hospitality," Karker
6. Solo for Trombone, "I Fear no Foe," Pinauti
7. Selection, "The Swan Song," Reeves
8. Duet, "Heaven's Own Deceit," Reeves
9. Concert Waltzes, "Vienna Woods," Strauss
10. Popular Marches, "a Second Regiment," Reeves
11. "b On the Levee," Hall
12. "Hands Across the Sea," Hall
13. Descriptive, "The Fall of Santiago," Dalbey

SOME INTERESTING LETTERS.

WHAT MR. BENNER OF THE SCHOOL BOARD WRITES TO SUPERINTENDENT ALDRICH.
To the Editor of the GRAPHIC:

In view of the very general public interest in the present controversy concerning the Superintendent of our schools, and the great injury which will be done our city if we make a change that is not a benefit, we have obtained permission to publish the accompanying self-explanatory correspondence.

We invite attention to the fact that no charges have been made against Mr. Aldrich, and the request of our committee, representing seventeen hundred signers, for a conference at which members of the School Committee could make public any reasons actuating them, was by formal vote of the board denied, although a hearing was granted.

The movement to displace Mr. Aldrich cannot succeed without the aid of the new members of the School Committee, members who were by the situation forced into a position of taking sides before their service upon the committee had continued long enough to make them of their own experience ready to form final judgment; who had not come into actual working relations with the Superintendent. The special committee on the curriculum, which held extended hearings in the spring, has not yet reported, and the report of this committee should be made and amply discussed before Mr. Aldrich's work as superintendent can be fairly weighed. The custom in Newton has been to elect the superintendent at the December meeting, and the present proposition to elect in June is an innovation which may well be postponed or abandoned.

Under these circumstances we would ask that the election of a superintendent be postponed until the usual time in December. This would allow the new members to become acquainted with Mr. Aldrich's work, would allow them to hear and consider the report of the committee on curriculum, and would allow them to get the opinion of their constituents at the polls.

The Woodland Park Committee,
JAS. RICHARD CARTER, Chairman.
June 23, 1899.

Boston, June 1, 1899.
Mr. George I. Aldrich.

Dear Sir,—At a meeting of the committee appointed by the School Board to report the name of a candidate for the position of Superintendent of schools, it was unanimously voted that in existing circumstances it is not expedient to present your name for re-election.

We take this early opportunity to advise you of the action of this committee, and remain, Respectfully yours,
F. T. BENNER.
EDWARD E. HARDY.
W. E. HUNTINGTON.

Newton, Mass., June 7, 1899.
Mr. George I. Aldrich.

Dear Sir,—The undersigned, a special committee representing some seventeen hundred signers to an address to the School Board, being advised that at a recent meeting there was appointed a nominating committee consisting entirely of members who have been publicly reported as opposed to your continued service as superintendent, desire to advise you that we have not been informed of any reasons affecting the public welfare, which should prevent your re-election.

We believe your service has been beneficial to our schools and honorable to yourself, and that the expression of confidence signed by ninety per cent of the voters in our schools, is entitled to great weight.

We therefore request that if the nominating committee shall fail to offer your name for re-election, you will consent to its presentation by other members of the school committee, so that your supporters may not be deprived of the opportunity to record their continued confidence and faith in your ability and character.

JAMES R. CARTER, MICHAEL WING,
GEORGE C. TAYLOR, GEORGE C. TAYLOR,
EDWARD E. HARDY, FRANK J. HALE,
JAMES P. TOLMAN, FREDERICK W. STONE,
CHARLES S. DENNIS, GEORGE W. BLANCHARD,
MARCUS MORTON, GURDON R. FISHER,
CHARLES E. LORD, SAMUEL WARD,
REV. E. M. NOYES.

MR. ALDRICH TO THE SCHOOL BOARD.
Newtonville, June 7, 1899.
Gentlemen,—Your letter of June 1st, stating that you deem it inexpedient to present my name as that of a candidate for the position of Superintendent of schools, is received.

Having served the city in that capacity during seven and a half years, with singleness of purpose and such measure of skill as I possess, I think I may, with entire propriety, ask for a statement of the reasons on which your action is based, and such request I hereby make.

Perhaps I ought to add that a committee representing a large number of citizens has pronounced an expression of public opinion, I have complied with the committee's request. Respectfully yours,
GEORGE I. ALDRICH.

F. T. Benner.
E. E. Hardy.
W. E. Huntington.

THEY REFUSE TO GIVE REASONS.
Boston, June 9, 1899.
Dear Sir,—Your communication of the 7th inst. is received. We see no possibility of accomplishing any good by reciting the reasons which have convinced over two thirds of the members of the Board that your re-election is inexpedient. The strong sentiment of the Board against your re-election is in itself a decisive reason for not reporting your name as a nominee. A final statement of all we have to say in the premises will be reported to the Board at the June meeting. Yours very truly,
F. T. BENNER.
W. E. HUNTINGTON.
EDWARD E. HARDY.

Mr. Geo. I. Aldrich, Newtonville, Mass.

Picnic Cars.
The Newton & Boston Street Railway had a regular Fourth of July day last Saturday, the anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill. Seventeen cars were out in the morning for picnic parties, one party from Maplewood had seven cars, a second from Mount Washington, South Boston, had eight cars and still a third also from South Boston had two cars. Those cars were all handled at times, the day when the riding on the regular cars were very heavy, but without any delay on the line or accident of any kind. The Newton & Boston are making a specialty of furnishing those extra cars for picnic parties as well as for private trolley rides. There is lots of fun in enjoying one of their big fifteen bench cars for an evening trolley party. The car is specially decorated

EUGENE FIELD AND TABOR.

How the Humorist Made Life a Burden.

Up to middle age the late Senator Tabor's life was one of great hardship, said a former resident of the Silver State, "and when he suddenly became fabulously rich he plunged into luxuries like a starving man wading into a banquet. One of his early freaks was the purchase of several magnificent lace nightgowns which cost \$100 apiece and which he kept locked up in a safe during the day. Eugene Field was editor of the Denver Tribune at the time, and those lace nightgowns made him simply hysterical. He wrote column upon column about them, describing the garments in detail, with numerous diagrams depicting sections fore and aft. The diagrams were hideous affairs, which Field carved out himself with a penknife on the back of old wood type. He used to describe how Tabor would forget the combination of the safe and sit up, shivering and naked, half the night trying to remember the right figures.

"Altogether he kept Denver in a roar for weeks and made Tabor so wild that one day he rushed into his office, snatched the unfortunate nightgowns out of their compartment and tore them to threads. 'There, now!' he exclaimed, wiping his forehead and kicking the tattered fragments into a corner. 'I hope that fool will be satisfied. I'll be hanged if I ain't going to get a gunny sack,' he continued, 'cut some holes in the end for my head and arms, and then sleep in it for the rest of my life!'

"When Tabor was appointed to the senate to fill an unexpired term of exactly 29 days, Field broke loose again and had all kinds of fun with the old man. He declared that Tabor opposed the tariff bill on the ground that it encouraged lawlessness in the west. 'I don't know this tariff bill,' he reported the senator as saying in a speech, 'but we have entirely too many of 'em out where I live. There's Wild Bill and Pecos Bill and Billy the Kid—all no good. If you let Tariff Bill have everything to do with the custom house he is liable to steal the Atlantic ocean.' Many of the honest frontier folk took those flights of fancy seriously, and drove Tabor nearly distracted by his long letters of remonstrance, urging him to read up and get posted, so as not to disgrace the state.

"At the expiration of the senator's brief term he circulated an autograph album among his fellow members, and the incident tickled Field immensely. He gave what purported to be a copy of the 'sentiments' inscribed in the volume by the different statesmen—such things as 'When this you see, remember me, Roscoe Conkling,' and 'I am a gentleman grows round a stump you are my darling sugar lump—I mean chump—George F. Hoar,' and similar nonsense, all of which maddened his victim.

"I think Eugene Field was the only man Tabor never forgave, for in spite of his gaudy, forbidding exterior, the miner magnate was as tender hearted as a girl. He was really full of sterling qualities, and in his proper sphere he would have been anything but grotesque. One thing is sure—if every fellow he helped in secret would have joined his funeral procession he would have gone to his grave like an emperor of old."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

To Crisp Lettuce Leaves.

Do you know how to crisp lettuce leaves? A most simple process, but one rarely adopted judging by the wilted stuff we generally see served. A gentleman of the old school was my teacher, and while yet a mere maid I was promoted to the proud dignity of crisping the lettuce.

First carefully separate the leaves from the stalk, discarding discolored and imperfect ones and leaving untouched the tiny hearts; lay them all in cool, clear water for awhile, all morning if you choose, pick them over a couple of times before serving; wash one by one and lay in a wire basket if you have one; if not, a clean, soft towel will answer; gather the ends and sides loosely in your hand and lightly shake the lettuce; then put the leaves in a colander, which you set in the refrigerator, but not on the ice. Leave until needed, when you will find the lettuce deliciously cool and crisp enough to crack. Never cut the leaves. If very large, divide with the fingers into smaller pieces.—What to Eat.

Vastly Different.

As will be seen, it makes a great difference how one uses the muscular resources at one's command.

A member of an athletic club, after swimming the length of the large tank in the basement of the institution, came out puffing and blowing, apparently exhausted.

"You don't manage your breathing right," said the swimming instructor. "It ought not to tire you so. As to the upper part of your body, including your arms, you use exactly the same muscles, and in very much the same way, in swimming as in saving wood."

"No, sir!" gasped the swimmer. "When it comes to saving wood, I use the muscles of some other man."—Youth's Companion.

The Point of View.

The Descendant of the Pilgrims—My ancestors came over in the Mayflower. The Anglonian—That is nothing to be proud of, my good fellow. Just think what a dooce of a time it is since they were English. Now, my people came over only a hundred years ago.—New York Journal.

His Redeeming Point.

Mrs. Cadger—They tell me, Henrietta, that your husband is unkind to you. Mrs. Howes—Yes, John is not very gentle in his manners, I must admit, but there is one thing I will say for him, he never kicks up a rug or creases a tidy.—Boston Transcript.

Knew When to Quit.

"I suppose you made your money through your holdings in stock." "Well," said the financier, "they had something to do with it, but the really important considerations weren't my holdings so much as my let goings."—Washington Star.

A Sudden Start.

"You used to go to school with Coppers, the new millionaire, didn't you?" "I did. Fact is, I gave him his first start in life." "How?" "With a bent pin."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Reverse Effect.

"So they finally froze Johnson out of the company, did they?" "Yes. And I never saw a hotter man in all my life."—Indianapolis Journal.

MINE MULES.

One Man Who Thinks They Are Wise Beyond Their Generation.

Jim Smiley has studied the character and idiosyncrasies of the coal mine. Jim believes an old mine mule has more than second sight. Jim drove a white mule for Captain W. B. Rodgers of the Tide Coal company that had this faculty, and owing to his exercise of it Jim is able to relate some of his wondrous experiences with mine mules. The mule, Jim says, has Scriptural authority for seeing things that his drivers cannot see, and cites the story of Balaam and the mule ancestor. In corroboration of his theory.

The particular mule that Captain Rodgers owned was noted for his light headed proclivities and his general objection to going the way he was directed. One morning Jim Smiley was taking a trip of cars into a cross entry that had some of the pillars "ribbed." This slightly weakened the roof, and although timbers had been put in to support the roof, it had begun to creep. Jim shouted a few "cusses" words at the mule, and calling him by an opprobrious name, invited him to "gwan." He started off in good style until the cross entry was reached. Here he stopped. Jim insisted that the mule proceed. The mule switched his tail. Jim applied his black snake whip, which he unyound from his shoulders for the purpose.

Force and persuasion were unavailing. Jim got behind the mine car and pushed it against the mule. The animal held back. Jim pushed harder, and the mule toppled over into the car. Jim could not get the mule out of the car and was forced to get another mule and pull the wise mule to the side track, where it was high enough to jump him out of the pit car.

Jim took the borrowed mule and went back into the cross entry, and when he arrived at the point where the wise mule had stopped he found that a fall of roof had occurred in his absence, completely closing the entry. Had Jim succeeded in driving the mule beyond the place of the "hold up" both he and the mule would have been entombed. Jim says no man knows as much as a pit mule, and they don't talk so much either.—Pittsburgh News.

ANTIQUITY OF SAWS.

They Were in Use Centuries Before the Christian Era.

Saws were used by the ancient Egyptians. One that was discovered with several other carpenter's tools in a private tomb at Thebes is now preserved in the British Museum. The blade, which appears to be of brass, is 10½ inches long and 1½ inches broad at the widest part. The teeth are irregular and appear to have been formed by striking a blunt edged instrument against the edge of the plate, the bur or rough shoulder thus produced not being removed.

A painting copied in Rosellini's work on Egyptian antiquities represents a man using a similar saw, the piece of wood which he is cutting being held between two upright posts. In other representations the timber is bound with ropes to a single post, and in one, also copied by Rosellini, the workman is engaged in tightening the rope, having left the saw sticking in the cut. In an engraving given in the third volume of Wilkinson's "Manners and Customs of the Ancient Egyptians" a saw is represented of much larger dimensions, its length being by comparison with the man not less than three or four feet. It does not appear that the Egyptians used saws worked by two men.

The invention of saws was variously attributed by the Greeks to two or three individuals, who are supposed to have taken the idea from the jawbone of a snake or the backbone of a fish. There is a very curious picture among the remains discovered in the ruins of Herculaneum, representing the interior of a carpenter's workshop, with two men cutting a piece of wood with a frame saw, and on an altar preserved in the Capitoline museum at Rome there is a perfect representation of a box saw, exactly resembling in the form of the frame and the twisted cord for tightening it, those used by modern carpenters. From these remains it is evident that these forms of the instrument were known to the ancients.—London Architect.

An Ink Wiper.

Query—Do all knee breeched public school boys wipe their pens on their stockings? The practice seems startlingly general. Can public opinion carry the fastidious teacher here whither she would? It is a study hour; an ink well is closed; a notebook pushed aside, down goes a pen to take a turn or two about a stocking leg!

"Garvin, is that a nice thing to do?" This from the teacher, only loud enough to be heard by a selected neighbor or two. "It don't show" (stolidly). Was there ever a better example from ancient Sparta to modern America of that widespread, deep rooted belief that a crime is not more than half criminal till society's ears have been shocked and aggrieved by its publication?—Teachers' Magazine.

The Ideal Feminine Figure.

The feminine acrobat, trapeze performer and popular dancer give us some idea of the ideal feminine figure in the bountiful curves and outlines where difference of sex is most marked. If an object lesson is sought to prove that muscular development tends to emphasize the evolution of sex differentiation, it can be found in such shows as Barnum & Bailey's in the beautiful bodies of both male and female acrobats. While if another is needed to demonstrate that want of muscular development produces an approximation to the type masculine, it can be found, alas, all too easily among women who either cannot take exercise (as overworked teachers and seamstresses) or who will not.—Mrs. Ormiston Chant in Nineteenth Century.

Different Pappas.

A north Omaha lad of 7 winters recently committed an offense against the parental rule and was called to account. The little fellow prevaricated about it.

"You should not tell me a story, son," said the fond papa. "That only makes the matter worse. George Washington would not tell a lie, and when he confessed to his papa that he had done wrong his papa forgave him and did not punish him."

"That was all right for George," said the youngster, "but they ain't making no pappas now like he had."

Bought.

"What a contradictory face Miss Wellup has!" "I don't understand."

"She wears a complexion that doesn't wear—because it is rare."—Chicago Tribune.

LOLLABY.

Hush! The waves come rolling in,
White with foam, white with foam.
Father toils amid the din,
But baby sleeps at home.

Hush! The winds roar hoarse and deep
As they come, as they come.
Brother hunts the lazy sheep,
But baby sleeps at home.

Hush! The rain sweeps o'er the knaves,
Where they roam, where they roam.
Sister goes to seek the crows,
But baby sleeps at home.

NO PUBLIC SMOKING.

When the Germans Were Not Allowed to Smoke on the Streets.

There are many old time Germans who remember how strictly the law against public smoking used to be enforced. That the law is dead is one of the fruits of the revolution of 1848. The Berliners were the first Germans to smoke in public. Courage to do so came to them during the memorable days when they dictated laws to their king, Frederick William IV, the present kaiser's granduncle. As that monarch, while standing on the balcony of the Berlin castle, was commanded by the revolutionists to uncover before their dead "the mob," says a contemporary chronicler, "heaped the additional indignity upon him of puffing huge pipes in his presence."

The citizens stuck to their pipes and cigars during the following months, when the police and military dared not interfere with them on trifling provocation. Afterward, when the tide had turned, an attempt was made to again enforce the law, but the people got so wrought up over the matter that the police dropped the persecutions. In March, 1849, the old law was repealed.

As it happened liberty to smoke everywhere except in church and in the theater was one of the few results of the revolution that have never been interfered with by subsequent government acts.

Before the revolution disobedience to the antisomoking law was punishable by a fine of 1 thaler. If a German passed a sentry box or a royal palace pipe in mouth, he was mulcted 5 thalers. The smoking of cigars in public was deemed particularly offensive, and judges frequently imposed an extra thaler on the person guilty of smoking such an article. In Germany the cigar came to be considered "the correct thing" only after the introduction of matches. It was easier to light a cigar than a pipe by the new-fangled agency; hence the cigar increased in popularity and became gradually recognized as the superior of the pipe in a social way.

But "liberty to smoke" is not yet universal in Germany or elsewhere. In Berlin, Munich and other capitals, including Vienna, army officers and soldiers are forbidden to smoke in the principal streets through which members of the royal family are liable to drive. If in other streets they see a royal carriage approaching, they must throw away their cigars.—Newark Call.

Early Impressions.

Memory plays queer antics at times. As our ideas of things develop and make progress the relation to ourselves, as we were of a remembered place or incident, keeps pace with the advance. When we were in youth, we thought the house in which we lived in those days a veritable mansion and the yard was as large and commodious as a park now seems to us. Our memory keeps them thus, although we have long outgrown our little selves.

But when we again visit the haunts of the early years we find that the mansion has diminished to a cottage and the yard seems miserably small. We have outgrown them. There seems to be a self-adjusting lens that, as we fare farther from the scenes and surroundings we once knew well, keeps magnifying them so that they are always the same to us.

And it must be so of incidents and people as well. Memory is kind and throws a mantle of softening mist over whatever comes into her realm. And when we go back and find the old neighborhood or see again our long remembered friends we must not put all the blame of changing upon them. It is we who have changed, perhaps far more than have they, only we do not stop to realize the fact.—Exchange.

Minutes and Seconds.

At least 25 centuries B. C. the Babylonians used a sexagesimal system of notation, consisting of sari and soss, of which we have vestiges when we reckon 60 minutes to the hour and 60 seconds to the minute, or 3,600 seconds—that is, a sari of soss—to the hour. That we count 12 inches to the foot, 24 hours to the day, 360 degrees of longitude around the equator, 90 degrees of latitude from the equator to the poles and 60 miles to a degree may also be traced to the same duodecimal Babylonian system of numeration, which originally reckoned 60 shekels to the mina and 60 minas to the talent. All these numbers are factors or multiples of the sari, or 60. Our measures of time, money, of linear and angular space, are all derived from the Greeks, who obtained them from the Babylonians, probably through the Phœnicians.

Shopgirl's Hard Lot.

Persons complain that shopgirls do not jump actively to wait upon them when they enter a store. Why not? The other day I saw a girl approach a respectably dressed woman of middle age—that's 35—and heard her ask, over the counter, "What would you like, an'm?" To this polite attention I was shocked to hear the woman reply: "You shut up! Don't you talk to me! I can ask for what I want, and I don't want any impudence from clerks!"

A few rebuffs from such creatures are quite enough to cool the ardor of any shopgirl.—New York Press.

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THE SATURDAY HALF HOLIDAY.

THERE does not seem to be any grave objection to granting the laborers in the city departments a half-holiday on Saturday for the months of July and August. In fact, it is difficult to see why they are not just as much entitled to this little vacation as the City Hall officials are to a half holiday the year round.

The laborers have much longer hours than the city officials, and while their labor is of a different kind, they probably work fully as hard, and are as much exhausted by their labor. It is not wise to make any class in the city employ specially favored, one above another, and this half-holiday for two months will help to equalize matters, and it is not an undertaking that will prove of any great expense anyway.

The old theory was that shorter hours of labor would inspire men to better work, and hence fully as much would be accomplished under short hours as under the older fashioned system. Whether this theory is true when applied to large forces of employes, or not, it would be difficult to say, but the added half day of rest during the heat of the summer would certainly put the men in better condition to work, and the men themselves hold that it is only a reasonable request, as the half-holiday is given in many of the large manufacturing establishments, where the question of expenses is carefully studied, and if it did not pay we can be very sure it would not be given.

As most of the aldermen are contemplating taking more or less protracted vacations themselves, they may feel in a generous mood and so favor this innovation. The move comes at a fortunate time of the year for its chances of getting a majority vote in its favor.

THE correspondence between the Woodland Park committee and Mr. Aldrich and Chairman Benner of the School Board is certainly interesting reading. It will be noticed that Mr. Benner refuses to give any reasons for his opposition to Mr. Aldrich, and the affair only illustrates what an autocratic body a school board is, when it desires. No other branch of government would refuse so curtly to give any explanation or excuse for a course of action, and even school boards do not usually take such a "what are you going to do about it" air. If there were strong reasons against the election of Mr. Aldrich, the natural inference is that the School Board would make haste to give them to the public. It looks very much as though the people would have to wait until the next election, in order to receive some attention to their wishes from this high and mighty body.

It was interesting, Monday afternoon, to watch the magnificent cloud effects, and the storm which first appeared in the west, and then worked all round the horizon, without coming to Newton. Places as far apart as Salem and Taunton had vigorous thunder storms, accompanied with hail, and considerable damage was done by the hail, and by the extremely heavy downpour. On Tuesday, however, Newton got its share of rain, accompanied by severe thunder and lightning. The rain continued for several hours and did great good to the parched lawns and gardens. There were numerous fatalities from lightning in places all about us, but fortunately Newton escaped.

REV. DR. LORIMER preached the baccalaureate sermon at Brown, on Sunday, and caused something of a sensation by boldly attacking the trusts. The timid trustees, who have not yet given up hoping for large bequests from Rockefeller and other trust magnates, and who blamed President Andrews because they did not receive them, were thrown into a cold perspiration as they listened to the vigorous and outspoken address of Dr. Lorimer, and it said that hereafter no preacher will be allowed to speak before the university, without first submitting his sermon to the blue pencil of the trustees.

Now complaints are coming in regard to the Hyde school house. Yet it is a new building, supposed to be the best of its kind, and a great deal of money was expended to make the sanitary arrangements perfect. If this was not done some one, either architects or builders must have been at fault, and the matter should be looked into. If our expensive new school buildings are to be no better in this respect than the old ones, the city might as well halt at once in its expenditures.

THE Waltham aldermen have finally given the Waltham, Newton and Forest Hills street railway leave to withdraw, after keeping up the hopes of the company for several weeks, by talking favorably of the project. Without a location in Newton or Waltham the company will be shorn of the most attractive part of the route.

NEWTON.

—Rev. G. W. Scott will preach at Eliot church on Sunday.

—Graduates should go to Burns, Cole's block for an artistic haircut.

—The Nonantum Industrial school will reopen July 10 for a term of six weeks.

—Mr. Samuel B. Whittemore was taken seriously ill at his summer home in Hingham and has been taken to a Boston hospital, as he needs the most expert care and nursing.

—A party of young ladies, consisting of the Misses Mabel Conant, Carrie Eddy, Bessie Loveland and Faith Stone attended the Smith College commencement at Northampton, the first of the week.

—One of the horses in a delivery team of the Newton Corner Market ran away last Saturday morning. The horse ran on to the sidewalk on Galen street, near Pearl, and fell down between the fence and a tree. The animal was extremely frightened by any damage was done.

—Rev. W. H. Davis was very ill last Sunday, and some alarm was felt at his condition, but he is now reported to be improving, although he is still very weak from his severe illness. Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Davis expect to sail for Europe, July 5, to spend their summer vacation.

—John Joyce & Co. have opened a coal yard at North Beacon street, Brighton, and are ready to deliver coal and wood in Newton. Orders can be left at the Newton Business Exchange, next door to the post office, or at 18 Thornton street, Newton, or at the coal office in Brighton.

—A young boy named John Moran, while playing with several companions at the corner of St. James street and Charlesbank road early last evening, was knocked down by a horse and girl driven by Richard Kiley. Young Moran received a number of bruises, but escaped any serious injury.

—James Clear, employed as a coachman by Mrs. L. E. Prescott of 764 Centre street, reported to the police, Wednesday afternoon, that a watch had been stolen from his room in the coachman's house on the Prescott estate. Shortly before missing the watch he ordered an Italian from the grounds. The latter, he says, was acting suspiciously, and may have been the thief.

—For some time the various street railways, whose cars run into Nonantum square, have been considering the plan of providing a suitable waiting-station for Mr. Moravia. They have decided, it is said, to occupy the store of James Brickett on Centre street. Brickett's store has been used as a waiting-room, and for better accommodations will be altered and enlarged.

—Newton people are interested in the petition of the Boston Elevated street railway company asking a double track location of the Galen and Main streets, Watertown. The Watertown selectmen will act on the matter this evening. The double track location means a desirable improvement in the traveling facilities between this place and Boston, and would furnish a new route from Newton to the subway by way of Watertown and Harvard square.

—Among the visitors from this city at Smith College, during commencement week were Mr. and Mrs. (Gorham) D. Gilman, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin O. Childs, Mr. Frank H. Burt, and Miss Grace M. Burt, all of Newton, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. King of West Newton. Miss Marjorie King and Miss Mary Childs were members of the graduating class. In the presentation of "A Winter's Tale," by the senior class, Miss King played the part of "Mopsah."

—Wong Get, a Chinese laundryman, employed at 67 Elmwood street, reported to the police, shortly before 11 o'clock, Saturday evening, that he had been struck by a stone thrown through the window of his store. He says the act was committed by a number of boys. Get's lip was badly cut, and the wound necessitated several stitches. Dr. Utley attended him. The police discredit Get's story, but are unable to account for the injury as the Chinaman was unwilling to say anything further, even through an interpreter.

An informal reception was given to Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hayden last Saturday evening, at the residence of Mrs. Hayden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. White, 266 Neponset avenue, Dorchester. Mr. Hayden was taken completely by surprise, and until he had examined the many beautiful and useful gifts that had been presented to them on the occasion, and seeing quite a sprinkling of tinware among them, did he fully realize that it was the 10th anniversary of their marriage, and that he had unconsciously come to his own wedding. About sixty of their friends were present, and all enjoyed the collation and music until a late hour.

Try the new electric line from Needham to West Roxbury, that went into operation this week. This road has just been completed and connects Needham with West Roxbury, Forest Hills, Dedham, Norwood, Walpole, and Melrose. The Newton & Boston street railway cars take one to Needham by way of the famous Echo Bridge at the Upper Falls, where cars are changed for the points named above. Another delightful ride is to change at Needham for Wellesley. There take the car to Newton Lower Falls, and then a car from there for West Newton, Newtonville, and Newton. From Newtonville to Newtonville takes two hours and an expense of twenty cents.

AUBURNDALE.

—For other news see page 7.

—Mr. J. Des Monde and family are occupying their new home on Orris street.

—Mr. F. Estabrook and family and Miss S. E. Estabrook of Woodland road are at their summer home until August 1st.

—Mrs. C. W. Strongman and family of Central street left this week for Maine, where they will remain until September.

—Mrs. Brewster, who was the guest of her brother, Mr. George H. Bourne of Woodbine street, has returned to her home at Windsor, Vt.

—Mrs. Wells, who was the guest of her son, Prof. Wells, has returned to her home at Kingston. Her daughter, Mrs. Hagar of New York, accompanied her and will remain at Kingston for several weeks.

—Rev. and Mrs. John Matteson and Miss Walker of this place were among the guests present at the reception given by Rear Admiral Henry F. Pickens, U. S. N., to Rear Admiral William T. Sampson, U. S. N., Tuesday afternoon, at the home of the commodore at the Navy yard.

—The death of Loring Bunker has caused widespread sorrow and sympathy. Those who knew him best were his warmest friends. His noble and lovable character was shown in many acts of kindness to little children, to the poor, and the aged. He has left a most pleasant memory, and his presence will be sadly missed.

—Another sad loss is that of Mrs. Staples, a bright and winsome little woman, taken away in her youth, with a fair future before her, and leaving a lovely home vacant. Her husband and sister have all sympathy, and the estimation in which she was held was expressed by many beautiful flowers from her numerous friends.

—A successful lawn party was held Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 6 o'clock on the grounds of the New England Fashions body home, South avenue. A large gathering was present, and music and recreations were enjoyed. Refreshments were served. The proceeds were for the benefit of the house, which was established for crippled children.

—Mr. George Berkely Cutler died Monday at his home on South avenue, Weston, after several months' illness. Deceased was

seventy-seven years of age and had been a resident here for more than half a century. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon from his late residence. The floral tributes were very beautiful. The services were attended by a large number of friends who mourn his loss.

—A large party from here enjoyed a day's trip on the pilot boat Tuesday.

—Mrs. W. F. Soule of Rowe street is entertaining friends from California.

—Mrs. George E. Keyes of Camden road is enjoying a few weeks' stay at Quincy, N. H.

—Mrs. James M. Gordon and Miss Bessie Gordon have returned to their home on Grove street.

—Mrs. McGee and family have moved into the house corner of Auburndale and Prairie avenues.

—Mr. Delorey and family are occupying the house corner of Auburndale avenue and Newell road.

—Mr. Ralph Havenport has recovered sufficiently from his recent severe illness to go out on a short distance.

—About twenty members of the Riverdale lodge, N. E. O. P., enjoyed a moonlight trip on the "Jolly Rover," Monday evening at the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Dennison. On their return a substantial lunch was spread in the recreation grounds. A thoroughly good time was enjoyed and the party tendered a vote of thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Dennison for their pleasant evening.

Norumbega Park.

This is the age of the electric railway. People of the large cities as well of the suburbs find that the open car ride has the cool exhilaration of the excursions by boats down the harbor, with less risk and much smaller expense. Besides, there are special trolley trips that take you to an interesting park where a great diversity of attractions are always on hand for your amusement and entertainment. Chief of such places is Norumbega Park, which in many respects far surpasses anything of its kind in this country.

Its rustic theatre is the largest and most magnificent in America, and its attractions are invariably of a first class order. The attraction for the week commencing Monday, June 26, giving afternoon and evening performances, is J. W. Gorman's Imperials, consisting of up-to-date exponents of expert vaudeville. Among the star entertainers are the Pattens, in refined Irish comedy, presenting John Patten as the only artist in the United States playing single, double and triple cornet solos on a large E flat bass or tuba; the La Noles, the revolving ladder and double trapeze; Udell and Pearce, the versatile comedians; and Dixie Goldie and Ginger, Reed's wonderful acrobatic bull terriers comprising the world's great dog act. The last feature is a most astounding attraction and well worth alone going miles to see.

BROWN-SITES.

BROTHER OF THE GROOM CONDUCTED THE MARRIAGE SERVICES.

Wednesday evening in the Methodist Episcopal church at Newton the marriage of Miss Ruth Marie Sites, daughter of Mrs. Nathan Sites of Auburndale, to Rev. Francis Theodore Brown of Fort Plain, N. Y., was solemnized. The ceremony, which took place at 7.45, was in charge of Rev. George W. Brown, brother of the groom. He was assisted by Rev. Dr. Wm. Kelly of New York and Rev. C. E. Holmes of Newton.

The church was profusely decorated with laurel, hydrangeas and palms. The guests numbered over 200 and included a number of prominent church folk. Miss Sites is well known in connection with Chinese missionary work, having assisted her mother for several years in China.

The bride was gown in white china silk and wore the customary tulle veil. She carried lilies of the valley. The maid of honor was Miss Elsie M. Sites, sister of the bride, and Miss Jean Adams of Fitchburg and Miss Robert Simpson of McPherson, Kan., were bridesmaids.

The ushers were C. K. Baneroff, Dr. C. S. Ingham, J. C. Rockwell, A. G. Robinson, H. K. Smith, Rev. Mr. Broughton and Fred Sites. A reception was held at the home of the bride's mother on Hawthorn avenue, Auburndale, from 8.30 to 10, which was attended by the family and immediate friends.

A Letter to the City Treasurer.

Boston, June 20, 1899.
To the Editor of the GRAPHIC:—
Will you kindly publish in your paper the enclosed copy of a letter I originated and sent to Seth A. Ranlett, treasurer and collector for city of Newton, which explains in itself the manner assumed by Mr. Ranlett to be his duty and custom?

Respectfully,
E. E. BURDON.
Boston, June 16, 1899.

I asked no favor, but that extended to others, that I have a right to exact. You are bound to extend to all alike the privilege extended to even one. Did I receive more? Have I ever asked for more? Was I the only one to wait until the last moment to comply with the requirements and did so.

I have paid for all delays in full as per requirement of the city, not yours. I was the only one to wait until the last date for payment, and to-day have all met such requirements?

Did you insult all others who waited till the last day for payment of taxes? Have you any right to show preference to one and not others, in transacting legitimate business of the city?

Your language, which was as follows: "I don't recognize myself under obligation to you that any courtesy be granted you. Ring! there is no ring in the city hall." Did I ever say there was?

Does this show political animosity? Is this demanded of you by the city as a part of your duty—simply that people differ from you in politics?

There is a golden rule. Perhaps you don't know it. Look it up. Also it is a long road that has no ending. I am hesitating whether I had not better publish in Newton papers the whole matter and let the public understand the wonderful power reposed in the hands of the treasurer and collector of the city of Newton.

Respectfully,
E. E. BURDON.

MARRIED.

POPE-HOWLEY—At Newton Centre, June 14, by Rev. D. J. Wholey, Benjamin Sylvester Pope and Ellen Mary Howley.

VEYETT-PENDERGAST—At Newton, June 18, by Rev. E. T. Butler, Harry Harrison Veyett and Mary Edith Pendergast.

MOYLAN-DISKIN—At Concord, Mass., June 21, by Rev. E. J. Moriarty, Thomas Patrick Moylan and Della Diskin.

GOULD-HART—At West Newton, June 21, by Rev. C. J. Galligan, Richard Joseph Goode and Kathryn Louise Hart.

FORSYTH-RENTON—At Newton Centre, June 21, by Rev. E. M. Norton, Robert Forsyth and Margaret Brown Renton.

BLAND-HOLMES—At West Newton, June 22, by Rev. W. A. Birch, James Bland and Jane Mary Holmes.

BERGEN-FARQUHAR—At Newton, June 15, by Rev. F. N. Peloubet, Mr. Thirio Wood Winner Bergen and Miss Clara Beatrice, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Farquhar, of Newton.

DIED.

MULLEN—At Newtonville, June 18, Henry J., son of John and Catherine Mullen, 7 mos 21 ds.

EATON—At Newton, June 17, Walter David Eaton, 6 yrs. 5 mos. 19 ds.

STEARNES—At Newton, June 15, C. Edwin Stearnes, 62 yrs. 3 mos. 15 ds.

CLAPP—At Newtonville, June 18, George A. Clapp, 56 yrs. 5 mos. 7 ds.

McCLOSKEY—At Newton, June 20, Edward F., son of Patrick and Ann McCloskey, 3 mos.

McLAUGHLIN—At Newton, June 20, Mary, widow of Patrick McLaughlin, 73 yrs.

SNOW—At Newton Centre, June 20, Alpheus W. Snow, 56 yrs. 4 mos. 29 ds.

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ASSOCIATED CHARITIES—The office hours of the Secretary of the Associated Charities are from 9 to 10 every week day and from 7.30 to 8.30 Saturday evenings. The Provident Committee will be at the office to distribute clothing Tuesday forenoons and Saturday evenings. M. R. Martin, Secretary. Office, Newtonville Square.

WALTER G. HORTON, Executor, Address: Woodland Park Hotel, Auburndale, Mass. April 29, 1899.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Katherine K. Mackay, late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

WALTER G. HORTON, Executor, Address: Woodland Park Hotel, Auburndale, Mass. April 29, 1899.

STORAGE—

NEWTON FREE LIBRARY.

LIST OF NEW BOOKS.

- Adams, Charles Francis. Imperialism and the Tracks of our Forefathers. 85.269
- A paper read before the Lexington Mass. Hist. Soc., Dec. 20, 1898.
- Blakeney, Robert. A Boy in the Peninsular War. 95.627
- The service's adventures, and experiences of Robert Blakeney, subaltern in the 28th English Regiment; an autobiography, edited by Julian Sturges.
- Brough, Charles Hillman. Irrigation in Utah. 86.228
- Utah is made the scene for a study on irrigation because Utah is the geographical center of the Arid Region, and what has been done there is a fair test of average possibilities.
- Fletcher, J. S. The paths of the Prudent. 65.1016
- Gwynn, Stephen. Highways and Byways in Donegal and Antrim. 34.474
- The region described is the coast and coastal parts of northern Ireland.
- James, William. Talks to Teachers on Psychology, and to Students on some of Life's Ideals. 104.624
- The talks form the substance of a course of lectures given to the Cambridge teachers, and the volume includes three addresses to students.
- Jennings, N. A. A Texas Ranger. 31.566
- The adventures of a Philadelphia boy who spent four years in Texas, from 1874 to 1878, and who was for the most part of that time a member of the Texas Rangers.
- Jusserand, Jules J. Shakespeare in France under the Ancien Regime. 57.466
- Knaupp, William I. Life, Writings, and Correspondence of George Borrow, 1803-1881; based on Official and Authentic Sources. 2 vols. 95.628
- Knobel, Edward. The Grasses, Legumes and Rushes of the Northern United States illustrated; an Easy Method of Identification. 105.574
- Lothrop, Harriet M. (Margaret Sidney). Stories Polly Pepper told to the Five Little Peppers. 62.1026
- McCabe, Joseph, and Darien, Georges. Can we Disarm? 82.235
- The arguments for and against a general disarmament are given, with a possible plan that might please all the powers.
- McCaw, W. How to Use a Trial Case of Lenses, for the proper Adjustment of Glasses to Defective Refraction. 105.572
- Maspero, Gaston. Life in Ancient Egypt and Assyria. 72.468
- The author has selected "the two most civilized nations which flourished upon our earth before the Greeks." For Egypt he has chosen the fourteenth century B. C., and for Assyria the seventh century.
- Nash, Henry S. Ethics and Revelation. 92.849
- Ruskin, John. Rossetti, D. G., and others. Ruskin, Rossetti, Pre-Raphaelites. Papers, 1851-62; ed. by W. M. Rossetti. 53.620
- The material is in the form of letters written between 1851 and 1862.
- Scott, Hugh S. (Henry Seton Merriman). Prisoners and Captives. 65.1010
- Shute, Katharine H., ed. Land of Song. 3 vols. 63.625
- Selections of poetry graded to different classes. Vol. 1 is for primary grades, vol. 2 is for lower grammar grades, and vol. 3 for the higher grammar grades.
- Todd, David P. Stars and Telescopes: a Handbook of Popular Astronomy founded on Lynn's Celestial Motions. 103.755
- A compendium of astronomy in all its branches, making use of the latest discoveries.
- Weyman, Stanley John. When Love Calls (and other Stories). 61.1247
- Yarnall, Ellis. Wordsworth and the Coleridges; with other Memories Literary and Political. 96.471
- E. P. THURSTON, Librarian.

June 21, 1899.

Would Not Suffer So Again For Fifty Times Its Price.

I awoke last night with severe pains in my stomach. I never felt so badly in all my life. When I came down to work this morning I felt so weak I could hardly work. I went to Miller & McCurdy's drug store and they recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It worked like magic and one dose freed me from all my troubles. It is the finest thing I ever used for stomach trouble. I shall not be without it in my home hereafter, for I should not care to endure the sufferings of last night again for fifty times its price. —G. H. Wilson, Livermore, Burgettstown, Washington Co., Pa. This remedy is for sale by A. Hudson, Newton; E. F. Partridge, Newtonville; B. Billings, Newton Upper Falls; J. H. Green, Newton Highlands.

AUBURNDALE.

—Mr. Frank McArthur is stopping at 10 Oakland avenue.

—Mr. Steve Welch has returned from a visit to Gloucester.

—Mr. E. B. Haskell has returned from a trip to Nova Scotia.

—Mr. John Frost has returned from a week's visit at Gloucester.

—Mr. W. H. Crane, the comedian, has sold his steam yacht, the Senator.

—Miss Jennie Wood of Vista avenue is spending a few weeks in New York.

—Mr. Thomas Kennedy of Auburn street is able to be out after his recent illness.

—Miss Mary Carley of Lexington street is able to be out after her recent illness.

—One of the largest crowds ever entertained at Norumbega Park was that of last Sunday.

—Reserve Patrolman Henry F. Mahan has been transferred to a route at West Newton.

—Miss Bessie Loring has returned to her home in New York after a visit to relatives on Woodland road.

—The Young Women's Missionary Society held a strawberry festival in the Congregational church last evening.

—The Rev. Francis E. Clark, president of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, has returned from a six weeks' trip to the Pacific coast. He attended conventions in Manitoba, Oklahoma and State Christian Endeavor conventions in Utah, California, Oregon, Idaho, Colorado and Kansas, besides other meetings in Nevada and Washington, Michigan and Minnesota. He reports everywhere a very great interest in the Christian Endeavor cause and meetings of surprising size and power. In California over 400 delegates were registered at the convention in Oakland, and many other conventions, notably in Utah, Colorado and Oregon, surpassed all records for size and interest. Dr. Clark reports that the prospects for a great convention at Detroit are

very promising and all arrangements are progressing satisfactorily.

—Mrs. George R. Coffin will spend the summer at Marblehead Neck, Mass.

—Mr. A. R. Kelly of Newton has accepted a position as bookkeeper in the office of the Commonwealth avenue street railway company at Norumbega park.

—Some 30 residents and property owners of this place were heard by the special committee of the city government last Tuesday afternoon at city hall on the question of the abatement of assessments levied on account of the widening of Commonwealth avenue boulevard.

—John A. Crouse, of Waltham, and Miss Lena Cook, of Watertown, cyclists, were riding on the Commonwealth avenue boulevard near Lexington street late last Saturday evening when their wheels came into collision and both were thrown to the ground. Miss Cook suffered a painful injury to her ankle and Mr. Crouse sustained a number of bruises. Both were attended by a physician and later removed to their homes.

—The banks of the Charles river at Riverside were ablaze with light last Saturday evening, the occasion being the third in the series of the Newton Boat Club concerts. The clubhouse and grounds were tastefully decorated. Festoons of many colored Japanese lanterns made an attractive appearance. The clubhouse was brightly lit with hundreds of lanterns, while from the top of the flag staff the club pennant, with the initials "N. B. C." arranged in the form of a crescent, gleamed forth in incandescent light. The affair was attended by over 50 club members and their guests, and from early in the evening until late at night the broad balconies and piazzas were thronged. The Boston Cadet band furnished the music for the evening. As customary on concert nights, the band was stationed on a balcony at the front of the clubhouse, and the strains of music could be heard far up and down the river. Hundreds of couples were gathered in front of the club floats. The concert lasted from 7.30 to 10 o'clock. Dancing was enjoyed by the young people in the club assembly hall.

NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—John Caldren, driver of hose 6, is taking his annual two weeks vacation.

—Mr. Wm. Finlay has returned from a two weeks' visit with his son at Montreal, Can.

—Rev. P. H. Callahan has returned from a two months vacation at Hot Springs, Col., taken for his health.

—Mr. C. W. Hatch has purchased the Bullock house, and is having many alterations made prior to occupying it.

—Wm. Coakley has purchased the Lyon property from the Park Commission, and will remove it near his other property on Walnut street.

—Mr. Jas. Early is having the buildings purchased from the state removed to his land on Walnut street. While work is going on the street is cut off for use of teams.

—The electrician both Newton and Natick lines were down double Tuesday afternoon to accommodate the large numbers to attend the float at Wellesley College. The rain put an end to all festivities toward evening.

—The lawn party held by the M. E. Society on the church grounds last Saturday afternoon and evening was attended by a large number during the evening. Refreshments were served in the basement later, it being quite cool. The affair netted a good sum.

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NEWTON CEMETERY CORPORATION.

MEETING OF TRUSTEES AND MEMBERS HELD MONDAY AFTERNOON—HENRY ROSS'S SERVICES RECOGNIZED AND HE IS ELECTED HONORARY SUPERINTENDENT.

The faithful services of Henry Ross, for thirty-eight years superintendent of the Newton cemetery, were properly recognized at the annual meeting of the Newton Cemetery Corporation and trustees held last Monday afternoon in the Farlow memorial chapel on the cemetery grounds.

Mr. Ross, who is at present seriously ill, was referred to in the highest terms for his long and faithful services. He was chosen honorary superintendent at a salary of \$1,000. He will not be obliged any longer to attend to those duties which have been his life's work, but will be relieved by his grandson, Mr. H. Wilson Ross, who for some months past has been in charge of the cemetery grounds.

The meeting was called to order at 4 o'clock by Mr. E. B. Haskell. The treasurer's report was read by Mr. Otis Pettie. It was shown that unavailable assets amounted to \$20,700, and that the liabilities exceeded the assets by \$2,263.41.

The perpetual care fund at present amounts to \$105,927.46, and has increased \$3,582 during the past year.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE NEWTON CEMETERY CORPORATION.

We refer to the reports of the superintendent for details of work done during the last year, and to that of the treasurer for the financial condition of the corporation. The work done by the regular employees also has been of the usual amount, and the grounds have been kept in good condition. Any defects noticeable at this time are due to the almost unprecedented drought of the last two months, which has made it extremely difficult to keep the grass in good condition.

The green houses have been improved and enlarged, and a new headhouse built at a cost of three thousand dollars. This was an enlargement of our facilities very much needed, and the work was done in a highly satisfactory manner.

The city government, recognizing the fact that the sewerage situation in Walnut street had diverted the water from our ponds, has put in a ram which has materially improved the conditions noted last year, and which we hope will in a normal season give an ample supply.

We have had a discussion during the year with the city government in relation to a sewer tax laid on the corporation's land on the east side of Walnut street, and also in relation to the question of damage sustained by the corporation, by the laying of a sewer diagonally across its land from Walnut to Beacon streets. Both these questions are now in a fair way to adjustment.

The unusually small sale of lots during the year in conjunction with the extra expense of rebuilding the green houses, has left us in an unpleasant financial condition. We have a floating debt of about thirteen thousand dollars, nearly half of which is owed to the perpetual care fund. It will be the duty of the trustees to endeavor to devise a plan for funding this debt, so that it may be diminished when our income shows a surplus.

The perpetual care fund is now something above one hundred thousand dollars, but the low rate of interest on mortgage, and the difficulty of getting good ones for investment has reduced the income from this source.

In April a circular was sent out to about three hundred owners of lots, who have not yet put the perpetual care provision on their lots, appealing to them for their own security and for the general benefit of the whole cemetery. Such articles should be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 1, 1899.

Foundations for thirty-one monuments and one hundred twenty-three tablets and markers have been laid during the year.

INTERMENTS.

Interments have been made as follows:

In private lots, 127

In single graves, 9

In city lot, 179

Total, 315

Whole number of interments to June 1, 1899, 5994.

RECEIVING TOMB.

Number in receiving tomb, 8

Number removed from June 1, 1898, to June 1, 1899, 24

Number removed from June 1, 1898 to June 1, 1899, 32

Number remaining June 1, 1899, 8

SALE OF LOTS.

Twenty-five persons have purchased lots during the year, a much smaller number than usual.

Number of lot owners, June 1, 1899, 1510

Number of lots of 300 ft. each, sold to June 1, 1899, 43

Number of lots of 300 ft. each, sold from June 1, 1898 to June 1, 1899, 19

Total number of lots of 300 ft. each to June 1, 1899, 1374

CHAPEL.

The chapel has been used thirteen times during the year, ten times since the price was advanced.

LABOR.

About seventy-five hundred days' labor has been performed by men in the cemetery. Six horses have been employed.

The green houses have been repaired and rebuilt during the year, at a cost of about \$3000.

at an expense of about \$1000. There are now about five hundred lots of 300 ft. each graded ready for sale, worth besides perpetual care about \$150,000.

Enough lots are now graded for a year or two.

The ram placed last year by the city to supply the ponds with water proved insufficient, and has been replaced by a larger one, but this will hardly give enough water now the dry weather has come.

As soon as practicable, Central avenue and Main avenue at the foot of the new slope should be resurfaced. Also a larger pipe for the supply of water should be put in, and a branch pipe through Cypress avenue, and one through Main avenue, south at foot of new slope, should be added.

LACK OF INTEREST.

Mr. Warren P. Tyler spoke of the lack of interest manifested by Newton citizens. He thought that other cities had done a great deal more for their cemetery corporations and had appreciated the services of that body.

New people, Mr. Tyler thought, came only to the cemetery on Memorial day, and for the rest of the year forgot about it. He thought such a beautiful cemetery as that possessed by Newton was worthy of more public consideration.

Mr. E. B. Haskell endorsed Mr. Tyler along these lines. He thought the corporation should have a greater audience of lot owners and citizens at its meetings. The city government had treated the trustees very coolly when matters pertaining to the cemetery had been jointly considered by both bodies. Mr. Haskell thought the Newton city government could not have been more distant with an out-of-town corporation.

These officers were elected: President, E. B. Haskell; vice-president, Warren P. Tyler; clerk and auditor, E. M. Fowle; treasurer, Otis Pettie; finance committee, E. B. Haskell, A. R. Mitchell and Francis Murdoch; trustees, E. B. Haskell, Warren P. Tyler, A. R. Mitchell, Otis Pettie, Francis Murdoch, George Frost, E. M. Fowle, C. F. Eddy and E. L. Pickard.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions offered by Mr. Otis Pettie were read and adopted:

Whereas, by the providence of God one of the members of our board of trustees, Albert F. Hayward, Esq., has been removed by death from among us, Therefore

Resolved, That in his death the cemetery has lost a highly valued and efficient member of its board of trustees, who, although a member of but a single year's service, has lived a man who grasped the situation with sagacity, and with promptness was ready to act wisely for the best interests of the corporation.

Resolved, That in the death of Mr. Hayward, the city of Newton has lost a conscientious Christian gentleman and worker, both in the church and community in which he lived. A man who delighted in rendering a helping hand in times of need. Surely the worthy unfortunates have lost a strong arm in his decease.

Resolved, That we tender our warmest heart sympathy to his bereaved family in this hour of their afflictions.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the records of the cemetery corporation, and that a copy be sent to the family of the deceased.

ONE SHOT FIRED AT HIM.

NIGHT WATCHMAN AT NORUMBEGA PARK HAS ENCOUNTER WITH TWO BURGLARS.

Special officer Ferriek, night watchman at Norumbega park, had an exciting experience with two supposed burglars shortly before three Monday morning.

Ferriek was making his rounds in the park, when he heard a noise coming from the direction of Gustav Nuenfeldt's, west of Norumbega park entrance.

Hurrying toward the cafe, Ferriek ran to a rear window of the building which commanded a view of the interior. Here he saw two men in the act of rifling the place.

At the appearance of Ferriek, both intruders turned their attention toward him, and immediately began throwing empty tonic bottles at his head.

The intruders removed the wooden shutters which form a portion of the side of the building, and, jumping over the counters, landed on the ground at the front of the cafe.

They started to run, with Ferriek in close pursuit. The night watchman was not easily distanced, and maintained a good pace until the thieves turned upon him and threatened to shoot.

For a moment Ferriek hesitated and was meditating on his next move, when one of the burglars fired a shot at him. The night watchman then decided he would not continue the chase, and summoned the police.

Ferriek told the police that when he last saw the burglars they were running across Weston bridge headed toward Weston.

One of the men dropped a black hat which Ferriek kept and later gave to the officers.

He describes the men as dressed in dark clothing. One was much taller than the other, he says, and both had beardless faces.

When the police began investigating the case they found that J. R. Robertson's house, a nearby building, had been entered, and a canoe stolen. The canoe was later found, tied to Nuenfeldt's float. It is believed that the thieves stole the canoe, and intended to use it in making their escape.

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Sheriff's Sale.

MIDDLESEX, ss: April 24th, 1899. Seized and taken on execution and will be sold at public auction at my office in my dwelling house, No. 232 Church Street in Newton, in said County of Middlesex, on Saturday, the 24th day of June, 1899, at 9 o'clock A. M., all the right, title and interest that Laib M. Lemon, formerly called Laib M.

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NEWTON CENTRE.

—Day fireworks at Tainters, Newtonville Boston prices.

—Mr. Philip Smith has gone to Wareham for the summer.

—Ground has been broken for a new house on Chase street.

—Miss Alice Clement is suffering with a painful injury to her arm.

—Miss Turner will enjoy the summer months in the White Mountains.

—Charles E. L. Clark is home from Williams College this week on a visit.

—Miss Grace Everts of Ripley terrace is spending the summer in Clinton, Mass.

—Mr. W. F. Miles of Devon road has returned from an outing in New Hampshire.

—Mr. F. H. Scudder and family of Bowen street will spend the summer at Nantasket.

—Miss Ella Knapp left this week for the White Mountains, where she will pass the summer.

—Mr. A. W. Wells of Suffolk road will, with his family, pass the summer at Newport, R. I.

—A new bell has arrived for the Methodist church and will soon be installed in the belfry.

—Mr. Goodhue and family of Circuit road, Chestnut Hill, will pass the summer in Vermont.

—Dr. and Mrs. Baldwin of Middlesex road are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

—Mr. Martin and family have moved into their new house on Suffolk road, Chestnut Hill.

—Dr. Louis Bell and family of Glenwood avenue are at Ogonquit, Maine, for the summer months.

—The Sunday school exercises will be held at Trinity church on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

—Dr. Wells of Boston is occupying the A. W. Wells house on Suffolk road during the summer months.

—Mr. E. W. Foote of Grafton street and family leave this week for Martha's Vineyard for the summer.

—Mr. Fisher Howe of Beacon street has been in Williamstown, Mass., visiting his son at Williams College.

—Mr. J. Briggs and family of Parker street have left for Chatham, Mass., where they will pass the summer.

—Services at the Unitarian church next Sunday will be conducted by Rev. C. W. Wendle. Sunday school at 12.

—A charity sale will be held by children on Saturday afternoon on the grounds of Mrs. H. W. Mason of Ward street.

—Mrs. W. R. Cordingley of Norfolk road, Chestnut Hill, gave a dinner party to a large number of guests Wednesday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Edwards of Chestnut Hill have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. James T. Phelps at their country place at Clifton.

—Miss Stiles of Park street and Miss Kidder of Summer street arrived this week from Smith College at Northampton for a visit at home.

—Mr. G. E. Armstrong and family of Hammond street, Chestnut Hill, are expected home this week from an extended European trip.

—Thomas C. Wales, Jr., of Commonwealth avenue, Boston, has bought a large lot of land at Chestnut Hill and will build a house upon it for his own occupancy.

—Advertised letters in the postoffice for Fred N. Alward, Mrs. C. R. Baxter, Mrs. Joseph K. Bradley, Miss Ruby Higgins, Mrs. Kitty Johnson, Miss Lattie Morse, John A. L. Odds, Mrs. H. W. Tyler, Mrs. B. Wentzel, F. G. Woodbury, Newbury street, James York, Ward street, A. W. L. Rimer.

—The Institution avenue bridge over the Boston & Albany tracks is being entirely reconstructed. For several weeks past the bridge has been in an unsafe condition. Over two weeks ago, Chief W. B. Randall of the fire department gave orders to all drivers in the department not to cross the bridge under any circumstances. For some time the attention of the railroad authorities has been called to the matter, but only this week that any action been taken.

—Mrs. George T. Clark of Jackson street has returned from New Hampshire.

—Mrs. W. N. Bartholomew of Centre street has returned from Nantucket.

—Miss Ruth Ward of Amherst is visiting Miss Eudora Bassett of Morton street.

—Mr. J. M. Kellaway of Irving street returned on Saturday from No. Seitate.

—Mr. W. F. Woodman and party left on Saturday for Plymouth, N. H., on a fishing trip.

—Miss K. M. Emery is visiting her cousin, Mrs. W. A. Partridge, of Centre street.

—Mr. F. A. Sanderson of Braeland avenue is enjoying a fishing trip in New Hampshire.

—Miss Evelyn Morrison and Mrs. Lewis E. Murphy of Pelham street left yesterday for Nova Scotia.

—Mr. C. A. Vinal of Ashton park left on Saturday for New York and from there sailed for Europe.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Darrell of Cypress street will leave Saturday for Tatamagouche, Nova Scotia.

—Mr. J. W. Barrows and family of Beacon street left yesterday morning for their summer's vacation.

—Mr. Ernest Worthen of New Hampshire is visiting his brother, Mr. Clarence Worthen of Crystal street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert D. Ward of Dudley street left Wednesday for their summer home at Gloucester.

—Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Stone of Ripley street celebrated their twenty-eighth wedding anniversary on Tuesday evening.

—The pulpit of the Methodist church next Sunday will be occupied by Rev. C. E. Holmes of Newton in exchange with the pastor.

—Miss Catharine Mears of Pleasant street, of class 1901, N. H. S., has been elected captain of the N. H. S. basket ball team for 1900.

—"Wesley, the Apostle to the people" will be the subject of the sermon by Rev. George H. Spencer at the Methodist church on Sunday evening.

—Mr. J. E. Rockwood of Beacon street is receiving subscriptions for the fourth of July celebration to be given by the Newton Centre Improvement Association.

—Rev. Alvah Hovey, D. D., of Summer street, officiated at the installation of Rev. W. H. P. Fausch, D. D., of New York, as president of Brown University, Providence.

—Miss Mary E. Lunn, superintendent of Deaconess work in Boston, addressed the King Daughters of the Methodist church last evening on "Deaconess and Hospital Work."

—A meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society was held on Tuesday afternoon at the Methodist church, the Newton auxiliary being the special guest. An interesting talk was given by Miss Clara Cushman, which was followed by a social half-hour.

—Postmaster Ellis has received permission from the postal authorities at Washington to place an additional carrier at the central postoffice and at Newtonville. The new carriers will begin their work July 1st. Postmaster Ellis is in haste to add a carrier to the force at the West Newton postoffice by September 1st.

—The life saving apparatus on Crystal lake has been disturbed by boys on a number of occasions, and has caused complaints on the part of citizens. Tuesday the large boat was found floating about a mile from its moorings by Patrolman Tufts. The police have the names of several of the young culprits and it is likely they will be summoned into court.

—Mr. Alpheus W. Snow died Tuesday at his home 21 Pleasant street, aged 56 years. Mr. Snow had been suffering from a complication of stomach troubles for the past three years, although only recently had he been confined to the house. He was born in Orleans, Mass., and came to Newton Centre 20 years ago. Soon after his arrival here he established a hardware store in this place, and conducted business until three years ago when he was forced to retire on account of ill health. Mr. Snow was married about 15 years ago. He is survived by a wife. Both Mr. and Mrs. Snow attended the First Baptist church of this place. The funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at the house in charge of Rev. E. Y. Mullins. The interment will be made today in Orleans, Mass.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—Mrs. Hopkins has returned from New York.

—Mrs. Shumway is confined to her home by illness.

—Buy fireworks at Tainters, Newtonville. Boston prices.

—Mr. Charles Spaulding is having his house painted.

—Mr. A. K. Lane of Boston is the guest of Mr. Arthur Tarbell.

—Mr. and Mrs. Patterson have returned from a trip to Vermont.

—Mrs. Galeac, formerly a resident here, is the guest of Mrs. Logan.

—Mr. T. P. Curtis and family have gone to Maine for a stay of two weeks.

—Mrs. C. S. Curtis has gone to Schenectady, N. Y., for a stay of two weeks to visit her son.

—Mr. Wight and family of Forest street are spending a week at Long Island, Portland Harbor.

—The mother and sister of Mr. Hitchcock who has his home with Mrs. Holmes, are visiting them.

—Mr. E. M. Warren and family of Lincoln street will go on Saturday to Brant Rock for the summer.

—Mr. and Mrs. Pitts of Denver are visiting Mrs. Pitts' father's home here, Mr. McCollum of Forest street.

—Mr. G. L. Avery made a short stay at Chelmsford, where his wife and child are visiting at her former home.

—Greenwood's Real Estate Agency have \$1500 to loan on mortgage of real estate in this vicinity at the rate of 5 per cent interest.

—Rev. P. W. Bishop will preach at the Methodist church next Sunday morning. The subject of the evening service will be "An Evening with Watts and His Hymns." The praise service will consist of Watts' hymns, followed by a short address on the composer by the pastor.

—The Rev. G. A. Hood of Boston will occupy the pulpit of the Congregational church next Sunday morning. In the evening a vesper service will be held. The choir will render the following selections: "The Land of Rest," "Psalms," "Our Refuge," "Koschat," "O Lord, my trust is in Thy Mercy," King Hall.

—All Souls Unitarian church, Highland Club hall, Sunday, at 10:45 a. m. The minister will exchange with Rev. A. Judson Rich, who has recently resigned at Milford, N. H. The church will be closed during July and August. The annual picnic of All Souls Sunday school will be held Saturday at Norumbega park. The children, teachers and friends will meet at Mrs. H. J. Patterson's, Hartford street, at 9:45 a. m.

—A check for \$11.25, which was accompanied by a request, written, apparently, in a lady's hand, purporting to be written by a well-known lady here, was presented to Mrs. E. Moulton and son, to be cashed on Wednesday by a lad who was sent by a man at a safe distance away, but as Mrs. Moulton and son had been previously notified by Officer Moulton that the business was being worked in other parts of Newton, which was sometimes successful, payment in this case was not made.

—On Saturday, E. J. Hyde, auctioneer, offered at auction about 100 lots of land, belonging to the Phoenix Land company, fronting on Eliot and Boylston streets, and Circuit avenue. Previous to the sale three lots were sold to Mrs. E. Moulton and son, two of which have a frontage on Eliot street and the lot in the rear. At auction two lots fronting on Eliot street and one in the rear were sold to Fife's Express; also one lot on Eliot street to W. B. McMullin, and one on the same street to a Mr. Robinson. These lots were sold at prices ranging from 5-12 to 10c per foot.

—Through the kindness of Mr. E. Burritt Moulton, Mr. James W. Foster of Hillsdale road enjoyed a carriage ride this week. It was the first time Mr. Foster had been to the square since last December. He is gradually improving in health and says the warm weather agrees with him. Mr. Foster's outlook of the park opposite his residence, for the laying out of which he and some of his neighbors spent time and money, has not been very cheering this season on account of the drought, but it has improved since the showers. The city has taken the ground and proposes to name it West End park.

—Promptly at 3 o'clock, Tuesday afternoon, the women's last prayer and social meeting for the season will begin. Subject for conference, "Three venomous, hydra-headed foes of woman, wife, mother and the home—Intemperance, war and Rome."

The antidotes: We will enter His courts with singing, to be followed by prayer for God's blessing upon the reading of His Word, after which the topic will be presented by the leader of the meeting for that day, Mrs. Julia M. Ferguson. Each attendant is requested to express her views as concisely as possible, giving Scripture references in support of testimony offered.

—As announced last week the Newton Highlands Improvement association will hold a grand summer fete in the beautiful grove on Lake avenue and Lakewood road, Saturday, July 1st, afternoon and evening, from 2 to 10 o'clock. Many attractive features, entertaining and amusing, are to be provided to suit all classes, including vocal and instrumental music, games of various kinds, fortune-telling, dancing, illuminations, etc. Refreshments for sale. The location selected is an ideal one for an outing in a charming bit of woodland near Crystal lake, within the village limits. It is not intended to make the event a local affair. The good people of all the Newtons will be cordially welcomed. A good time promised. Let all go. Don't forget the date, Saturday, July 1st. Take electric to Walnut street and Lakewood road or Berwick road.

NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—The graduation exercises at the Wade school will take place next week.

—Mr. Loring Merrill of Paris, Maine, is visiting friends in town this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Temperly of Chestnut street spent the first of the week in New Castle, New Hampshire, with a camping party from Newton Highlands.

—For greater convenience to my patrons, I desire to announce that all calls for my services may be left with Mr. John W. Howe, High street, who will forward them to me with the greatest possible dispatch. Respectfully, HENRY F. CATE, 1617

—The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Sewing Circle was held on Wednesday afternoon and evening in the parlors and vestry of the Methodist church. During the afternoon the ladies sewed on the vestry carpet, and at 6:30 o'clock supper was served.

—Last Saturday two picnic parties enjoyed themselves in this place, one party going to Cold Spring grove, the other to Hemlock grove. The parties came to this village on special electric cars, there being over twelve cars, returning about 5 o'clock in the evening.

—While bicycle riding Saturday afternoon on Commonwealth avenue, Miss Fannie Call of Boylston street was thrown from her wheel and sustained a serious injury to her knee. She was taken home in a carriage and upon the surgeon's examination the knee was found to be broken.

—Quite an exciting ball game was played last Saturday afternoon on the Eliot street grounds between the Twilights of Lower Falls and the L. A. V. T. of this village. The Twilights played a good game, but they did not prove strong enough for the home team. The feature of the game was the heavy batting of McNabb, who made a home run and several base hits. The score was Twilights 3, L. A. V. T., 10.

WABAN.

—Student Denegre is confined to his room by illness.

—The church Sunday school closed last Sunday for the summer.

—Mr. Charles S. Boothby has returned from a week's visit to Portland, Me.

—Officer Henry Tibbets is spending a two weeks' vacation at his old home in Maine.

—Mrs. W. S. McAbie of Painesville, O., is visiting her son, who is a student at the Waban school.

—Miss Isola, daughter of P. Isola, Pine Ridge road, has returned home from Smith College, Northampton.

—Mr. W. H. Gould and family started for Boothbay, Maine, Thursday, where they will spend the summer.

—Mr. Franklin Wood departs for Nahant Saturday, where he sings during the summer at one of the largest churches there.

—A lawn party was given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Cloutman, Wednesday evening. It was largely attended.

—Mr. R. Winthrop Pratt was an usher at the wedding of Miss Williams and Mr. Russell T. Green, Jr., at Jamaica Plain, last evening.

—Miss Louise Robinson of Portland, Me., has been a guest of Miss Millie Dresser this week. She has been stopping in Washington, D. C., the past winter.

—For native strawberries, Mr. F. O. Childs the first prize as usual. He has been exhibiting some this week that were raised on his place and which average from six to eight inches in circumference.

—Miss Maud Kendrick took her Sunday school class on an excursion to Weston last Saturday, and before returning they enjoyed a delightful trip down the "Charles." The little ones enjoyed it immensely.

—For greater convenience to my patrons I desire to announce that all calls for my services may be transmitted to me by public telephone from Waban drug store at my expense. Respectfully, HENRY F. CATE, 1617

—Commencement exercises of the Waban school were held this week. Sunday afternoon, at four o'clock, services were held in the church, the principal, Rev. J. H. Pillsbury, preached the sermon. Monday afternoon, at four o'clock, exercises were held in the gymnasium. The principal's reception in the evening. Tuesday afternoon the Rev. Dr. A. E. Winslip, editor of the Journal of Education, addressed the school, after which a lunch was served, and in the evening a pleasant entertainment was given in Waban house.

Second Promenade Concert.

The Newton Club house and its grounds were decked in gala attire, Wednesday evening, the occasion being the third in the series of the club's June "Pop" concerts.

These concerts, which are among the most attractive of the season's events, not only bring out the society set of the Newtons, but are elsewhere looked forward to with interest. The hospitality of the club was extended to hundreds of guests and friends from Allston, Cambridge, Brookline, Chestnut Hill and Boston.

Over 1200 persons attended the affair, which added another to the club's previous successes as royal entertainers. The weather could not have been better, it being neither too warm nor too cool, but admirably suited for the occasion.

The grounds were illumined by hundreds of red and white incandescent lights. The dresses of the ladies added not a little to the scene, which, viewed from the club verandas, was one long to be remembered. The music of the evening was furnished by Stiles' 8th regiment band, which, as on previous like occasions, occupied a raised platform to the rear of the grounds. Aside from the guests of the club, the music was enjoyed by hundreds of people, who thronged the streets bordering on the club grounds. Bicyclists were there galore, many coming from a distance to hear the music, which Wednesday evening was particularly attractive.

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Lyman A. Ross to Jared Whitman and James F. C. Hyde, Trustees under the will of George Hyde, late of Newton, deceased, dated April 30th, 1896 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds Book 249, Page 28, for breach of the conditions therein contained and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises on Monday the twenty-fourth day of July, 1899 at four o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:—A certain parcel of land, situated in that part of said Newton called Newton Highlands and being Lot "C" on a "Plan of Rockledge, Newton Highlands, Mass., for Bowker & Willis, Trustees," drawn by C. E. C. Brock, dated January 1896 and duly recorded and bounded as follows, viz:—Northeasterly by Ledge Road, eighty-eight and 44-100 (88.44) feet; Southerly by lot marked "D" on said plan, one hundred sixteen (116) feet; Westerly by lot marked "H" on said plan, fifty-six and 32-100 (56.32) feet; and Northwest-easterly by lot marked "B" on said plan eighty-seven and 38-100 (87.38) feet; containing 7163 square feet. Said premises are subject to a right of drainage within five feet of the southeasterly line thereof.

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CITY GOVERNMENT.

BUSY SESSION OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN MONDAY EVENING—LABORERS' HALF-HOLIDAY REQUEST CONSIDERED—LENGTHY REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON THE SUBJECT.

Owing to a number of informal conferences in various parts of the chamber the aldermen were tardy in convening last Monday evening, and it was not until 8:15 o'clock that the board was called to order by President Knowlton.

In a communication to Mayor Wilson the architects of the proposed Bigelow school building informed his honor that in as much as the board of aldermen had seen fit to purchase additional land for the new school site it would be necessary to change the present plans. The communication was received.

The mayor returned, without his signature, the order appropriating \$50 to defray Chief Randall's expenses in attending the convention of fire chiefs at Syracuse, N. Y. The mayor gave as his reason for this action that in the opinion of the city solicitor such an order would be illegal. The veto was sustained. It is understood, however, that Mayor Wilson will see that Chief Randall attends the Syracuse convention, and that his expenses will be all paid.

The question of free transfers, which had been considered by City Solicitor Slocum, came before the board in a communication from that official. The matter was referred to Mayor Wilson with authority to act, as he may deem wisest for the city's best interests.

HEARINGS.

The first hearing was upon the taking of land for sewers in Albion place, Ward 6. C. S. Davis remonstrated. At the following hearings there were no speakers on either side. For taking land for sewers, Albion street, Ward 6; Newbury terrace, Ward 6; and private way off Church street, Ward 7.

PETITIONS.

Quite a few petitions were presented, and many granted without reference. Most of these latter were for concrete sidewalks, watering streets, etc.

THE HYDE SCHOOL SEWER.

This subject was opened by Alderman White, who moved that Mr. Freedom Hutchinson, an ex-councilman, be heard in regard to the matter. Mr. Hutchinson spoke as representative of Newton Highlands people, he said, and the matter, he felt, was of more than common importance. When the present system of cremating the sewage at the Hyde school was installed, said Mr. Hutchinson, no one thought it would be permanent.

It might be working satisfactorily, yet it caused offensive odors and was not to be compared with the sewer. Mr. Hutchinson continued, saying that sewer connections were demanded as a question of right and justice. Further, said Mr. Hutchinson, the present condition was in direct violation of the rules of the board of health.

When the report of the committee on this subject was read, it was shown that the members of the committee were of the opinion that to connect the Hyde school building with the sewer would involve a great expense. In behalf of this committee Alderman Lowell stated that the Clafin school at Newtonville was in the same sanitary condition as the Hyde school, and that in the opinion of the committee it would not be just to connect one with the sewer and not the other.

Alderman White spoke at some length, urging the necessity of connecting the buildings with the sewer. His remarks were endorsed by Alderman Nagle.

A vote to accept the special committee's report was put and lost. Later Alderman White presented an order, authorizing the construction of sewers to connect both the Hyde and Clafin buildings. This, it is understood, will be vetoed by the mayor.

The highway committee reported relative to claim of C. B. Lancaster for land damages, Central and Hancock streets, Ward 4; recommending watering of Bourne and Charles streets, Ward 4; recommending concrete crosswalk Highland avenue, Ward 3; recommending concrete sidewalk, Davis street, Ward 3.

The journal committee reported recommending approval of records to date.

CITY LABORERS' HALF-HOLIDAY.

The question of the city laborers' half-holiday on Saturdays during July and August, which had been referred to a select committee of three, consisting of Aldermen Lowell, Warren and Dana, first appeared before the board in the form of the following report:

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Your committee, to which the communication of His Honor, the Mayor, relative to Saturday half-holidays in July and August, for city laborers, was referred, having had said communication under consideration, report as follows:

COST.

The following number of laborers is, at present, (June 17, 1899, in the employ of the city:

STREET DEPARTMENT, HIGHWAY DIVISION	
1 superintendent,	\$6.08 per diem
2 division foremen,	4.16 "
2 men,	3.50 "
2 "	3.25 "
2 "	3.00 "
18 "	2.25 "
47 "	2.00 "
105 "	1.75 "
3 "	1.50 "
2 "	1.25 "

STREET DEPARTMENT, SEWER DIVISION.	
1 superintendent,	\$5.76 per diem
6 men,	3.00 "
1 man,	2.50 "
1 "	2.25 "
11 men,	2.00 "
32 "	1.75 "
1 man,	1.50 "
1 man,	1.00 "

WATER DEPARTMENT.	
1 man,	\$4.00 per diem
4 men,	3.00 "
2 man,	2.50 "
4 men,	2.25 "
13 "	2.00 "
6 "	1.75 "
1 man,	1.25 "

In July and August there will be nine Saturdays, or half-holidays, so that, if the present number of men is kept at work during these months, the cost of the half-holidays to the city will be:

STREET DEPT., HIGHWAY DIVISION.	
1 superintendent, (2.70 x 9 x 1),	\$24.30
2 division foremen, (1.84 x 9 x 2),	33.28
2 men, (1.55 x 9 x 2),	28.00
2 " (1.44 x 9 x 2),	26.00
2 " (1.33 x 9 x 2),	24.00
7 " (1.11 x 9 x 2),	14.00
18 " (1.00 x 9 x 2),	18.00
47 " (88 x 9 x 2),	376.00
105 " (77 x 9 x 2),	735.00

3 " (66.23 x 9 x 3),	18.00
2 " (55.59 x 9 x 2),	10.00
\$1508.38	

STREET DEPARTMENT, SEWER DIVISION.	
1 superintendent, (2.56 x 9 x 1),	\$23.04
6 men, (1.33 x 9 x 6),	72.00
1 man, (1.11 x 9 x 1),	9.00
1 " (1.00 x 9 x 1),	9.00
11 men, (88 x 9 x 9 x 11),	88.00
30 " (77 x 9 x 9 x 30),	210.00
12 " (66.23 x 9 x 12),	72.00
1 man, (44.49 x 9 x 1),	4.00
\$488.04	

WATER DEPARTMENT.	
1 man, (1.77 x 9 x 1),	\$16.00
4 men, (1.33 x 9 x 4),	48.00
2 " (1.22 x 9 x 2),	22.00
1 man, (1.11 x 9 x 1),	10.00
13 men, (88 x 9 x 13),	118.00
6 " (77 x 9 x 6),	42.00
1 man, (55.59 x 9 x 1),	5.00
\$283.00	

or a total for the street and water departments of \$2277.62 for two months.

PRACTICE IN OTHER CITIES.

There are 32 cities in the Commonwealth, including Newton, and, within the limited time at its disposal, your committee has been unable to collect data from all. It presents, however, the board, the information at its command:

A half-holiday is granted to laborers, under varying conditions, in the following cities: Boston, Cambridge, Fall River and Somerville, is not granted to them in the following cities: Worcester, Woburn, Waltham, Brockton and Medford. In Lowell and Haverhill the matter is pending, and, so far as indications point, will probably be favorably acted upon by the city council. In Lynn, a half-holiday was granted last year, but the aldermen this year have voted against one, and none will probably be granted, although the council has a majority in favor. In Lynn, there is no half-holiday, but the laborers stop work on Saturdays at 4 p. m. during the entire year.

TRADE CUSTOM.

So far as your committee is informed, it is not the custom of contractors in our city, whether they are working for the municipality, or private citizens, to give a half-holiday on Saturdays to their workmen, nor has it ever been the practice of the city itself hitherto. The work is not of that periodic nature, that it can be done in (summer) substantially as well in 5-12 days as in 6; nor is it, like office work, of such a confining and sedentary character as to make a respite from it at intervals an essential of health. This remark is as true of the superintendents, foremen and teamsters of the common laborers, as it is probably a fact, also, in case of city laborers, that the days of enforced idleness, caused by rain, snow, cold, or want of work, amount from 30 to 75 in a year. What the laborers need, if anything, and would like, is greater continuity of employment, more opportunity for earning a living, rather than higher wages, or diminished hours of labor.

FINANCES.

Many matters, such as rebuilding of streets, widening of the same, building of drains, construction of sewers, etc., have this year been postponed, not because they were unnecessary, but because they could not well be done in the present condition of the city's finances. Under these circumstances, it would hardly appear justifiable, if there be no question of health involved, to give to the laborers practically one-twelfth of their wages for the summer, the working season, when the forces of the departments are at their maximum. It is preference to enabling such laborers to earn \$2500, on work waiting to be done. This view gathers accumulated force, if it is remembered, that there is upon the rolls of the labor registrar of the city at the present time the names of at least 250 citizens of Newton, applicants for labor, who would be glad of the opportunity to serve the city at the present rate of wages, or even upon less favorable terms.

NINE HOUR LAW.

The statutes of the Commonwealth forbid the city employing laborers for more than nine hours a day. As a regular day's work, with contractors, consists of 10 hours, city laborers, as compared with ordinary laborers, perform 6 hours' work less a week, and get the same, or higher wages, therefore, if the pending bill is passed, their present advantageous position over their brothers will be increased by 4 hours, (amounting, in the total, to 10 hours) this entire working day, what they have always had, and what the ordinary common laborers do not have, the absolute security of their pay.

HOLIDAYS; SUNDAYS; RAINY DAYS; DAYS WITHOUT WORK.

Furthermore, neither the city, nor contractors have been in the custom of paying to ordinary common laborers wages on Sundays, or holidays, or even rainy days; and this practice has gone so far, that settling with laborers, even fractions of a day have been taken into account. That is to say, the laborer is not hired by the year, or month, or week, but by the day, or, in cases, possibly, by the hour. The effect of his employment, the fluctuating demands of the city, make this more or less necessary, and the most that seems practicable is to remove unnecessary hardships, and keep the forces of the several departments as nearly uniform throughout the year as is compatible with the public interest. The accompanying table, showing the number of men employed in the street department, highway and sewer divisions, and in the water department, from January to June of the current year, and for the corresponding period of last year, bearing in mind that the summer is the open season, and that last year was a year of not exceptional expenditures, will show how far this principle has been complied with, or departed from, by the present board and executive:

	Highway.	Sewer.	Water.
Jan. 7	232	142	105
14	149	152	115
21	156	142	145
28	172	142	136
Feb. 4	177	147	145
11	177	147	145
18	165	148*	145
25	152	241*	146
Mar. 4	162	145	145
11	145	139	147
18	149	89	153
25	221	94	177
Apr. 1	255	127	98
8	259	184	97
15	255	185	98
22	266	190	106
29	266	209	122
May 6	261	191	119
13	261	191	119
20	254	193	120
27	193	133	134
June 3	256	193	137
10	274	192	141
17	275	191	152

*Extraordinary increase was due to snow-storm.

For the above reasons, among others, your committee recommends to the board that no action by it is expedient upon the communication of his Honor, the Mayor, JAMES A. LOWELL, Chairman.

EDGAR W. WARREN, Wm. F. DANA.

The report was followed by an order to the effect that on Saturdays during July and August the laborers be granted a half-holiday.

laborer was employed about 225 days in the year on the average. So far as the matter of health was concerned, the laborers were compelled to do their work, and to take all the rest needed for their health. If the order was to have any justification, it would have to find it in some other source. If the order passed the laborers would not get any more work than they have now. They only would do less work than they do now for the same pay. The work of the city was now being postponed because of the laborers' demand for a gift of the character under consideration should not be given. He thought it would be a more sensible policy to give the laborers more work and a better opportunity to eat and work than they have now.

Alderman Morton said that he thought the problem a very simple one. While the force of laborers had been greatly reduced, their foremen or bosses were still employed. He did not think the present policy a good one.

Alderman White said that he did not think a half-holiday was what the laborers wanted. Many had been forced to come to the city to do their work, and he thought for want of work. He was opposed to the present system by which the force of laborers was reduced about one-half, while the list of superintendents and foremen was increased. Making the issue \$8000 in discharge all the privates at Manila and leave the generals and other officers in charge. The alderman then entered a charter objection.

After his objection had been entered, Alderman Whittlesley attempted to make a speech on the matter, but on request of Alderman White was called to order by the clerk.

Towards the close of the session, Alderman White arose and withdrew his charter objection to the order granting the laborers a half-holiday and the matter would have again been opened up for debate had not Alderman Lowell immediately entered another charter objection.

BIGELOW SCHOOL LOT.

or the purchase of additional land to be added to the same, a matter which was supposed to have been settled at the last meeting of the board, was again brought up by an order introduced by Alderman Niles authorizing the issue of \$8000 in bonds of \$1000 to draw interest for 20 years, for the purchase of the land. Alderman Niles in introducing the order stated that owing to the situation and as he wished to have the order appropriating \$7500 for the purchase of the land, which was passed at the last meeting, rescinded. This was done and the order then before the clerk came up for date.

Alderman Dana said that the change was made in the order at the request of the Mayor but that he was not in favor of it if the minority members were going to take advantage of the situation and assert their rights by interposing a charter objection. On the request of Alderman Dana as to what would be their position in regard to the matter, Alderman Whittlesley stated that he did not believe in it and as he considered it an unnecessary extravagance, he would enter a charter objection. At the request of Alderman Dana the order was then withdrawn and the original order appropriating \$7500 for the purchase of the land to be paid out of the city treasury, was again dragged into light. A vote resulted in 14 yeas and 4 nays and the order was adopted.

ORDERS.

These orders were adopted: Taking land for sewers in Albion street, Albion place, Newbury terrace, Ward 6; private way off Church street, Ward 7.

Assigning hearing, June 26, upon laying out of Phillips street, Ward 4.

Authorizing sewer construction in Albion street, Albion place, Newbury street, Newbury terrace, Crystal street, Ward 6; private way off Church street, Ward 7; Phillips street, Ward 4.

Authorizing street watering, Bourne and Charles streets, Ward 4.

Authorizing concrete crosswalk Highland avenue, Ward 4; authorizing concrete sidewalk, Davis street, Ward 3.

Authorizing Treasurer to receive \$1,400 from Woodman estate for sewer construction purposes.

Last fall I sprained my left hip while handling some heavy boxes. The doctor I called on said at first it was a slight strain and would soon be well, but it grew worse and worse and he said I must be operated on. It continued to grow worse and I could hardly get around to work. I went to a drug store and the druggist recommended a remedy, and I tried it, but it did not cure me. I tried it and one-half of a 50-cent bottle cured me entirely. I now recommend it to all my friends.—F. A. BARCOC, Erie, Pa. It is for sale by A. Hudson, Newton; E. F. Partridge, Newtonville; B. Billings, Newton Upper Falls; J. H. Green, Newton Highlands.

High School Notes.

At a meeting of the athletic association, held last week in the lecture hall, these were elected to office: President, Fred Thompson; treasurer, Alfred Andrews; secretary, George Daniels; track captain, Fred L. Thompson.

This has been the most successful year of hard work. Our foot ball team won second place in the championship. Our track team has defeated H. S. twice and made a Newton High school record on the Mechanics hall track; the polo team won a good percentage of its game and the base ball team had a very satisfactory season.

The most notable victory was that of the tennis team, which won the interscholastic championship. The boys' and girls' battalions are all that can be desired, and with credit to the High school paymaster, "Review," we should be highly gratified with the record which the school has made.

The scholars of the N. H. S. and their parents will greatly regret that Col. Benyon was unable to complete his duties as military instructor. As a teacher he has been faithful and untiring in his efforts to make everything which he has attempted a success, and as a friend he has always been beloved by all. It will hardly seem like the Newton High school battalion without Col. Benyon in charge, for he has been its instructor for twelve years.

The rosters for the boys' and girls' battalions are as follows: The boys' battalion: Captains, Ross, Rolfe, Daniels, Noyes and Stevens; Lieutenants, Crowell, Dearborn, Fitzpatrick, Frost, Gibbs, Hunt, Ivy, Johnson, Kershaw, Meschman, Peter, Rockwood, Smith, and Whiting; adjutant, Reese; sergeant major, L. W. Davis; quarter-master, Andrews; quarter master sergeant, Mudge; color sergeant, Pike; band sergeant, Broad; 1st sergeants, Wallace, Cronite, Henderson, Kendall, Lord, Tolman; duty sergeants, ARTY, Garmon, Gordon, Harwood, Putnam, Schofield, Shirley, Sibley, Twombly, Warren, Wise, Wheelock; corporals, Alwood, Bourne, Breitkreutz, Carter, S. Daniels, Hasbrook, Kingsley, Leonard, Merchant, Nagle, Page, Pratt, Ramsdell, Sands, Skelton, Terrell; artillery detachment, Henry C. Nickerson; Lieut. Holmes; corporal, signal corps, Sgt. Moore; Corp. Sargent. The roster for the girls' battalion is as follows: Major, Miss Frost; adjutant, Miss M. Tucker; captains, Misses Phelps, Gray, Laidbart, Ivy, Simpson, Kidder, Bancroft, Caverly, G. White, W. Rand, Bullard, Dresser; aids, Misses Burr, Barker, E. Fucker, H. Davis, Barry, Dempsey, Crawley, Van Norman, Linnell, Bell, Curry, Kately.

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Class of '89 Wellesley.

About 40 members of the Wellesley class of '89 observed their 10th anniversary Saturday afternoon with a banquet at the Woodland Park hotel, Auburndale.

The affair took place in the east parlor of the hotel, which was decorated with pinks and cut flowers. An informal reception to the class officers preceded the banquet. Miss Katherine M. Quint presided as toastmistress, and called for the toasts of the afternoon, which were responded to as follows:

"Our president," Miss Katherine M. Quint; "The Little Children," Col. M. J. Lane; "Ten Years Ago," Dorothy Dole Holmes; "Our Ph. D.'s," Eleanor A. M. Gamble; "Experiences," Mary O. Hoyt, Maude H. Crane, Emma Teller Tyler, Eleanor Sherwin; "Mrs. Irvine," Miss Case; "Our Alma Mater," Caroline R. Fletcher.

In another part of the hotel the class of '95 enjoyed a similar affair in honor of Mrs. J. J. Irvine, former president of the college. Only 17 members of the class were present; nevertheless, the best of good fellowship prevailed, and the occasion was most pleasant one. The banquet table was decorated with lavender and white sweet peas, the class flower. Miss Kate Nelson was toastmistress, and the principal toasts were as follows:

"Class Spirit," Miss Nelson; "The Spirit of '95," Miss Alice Hunt; "Mrs. Irvine, Our Honorary Member," Miss Louise Warren.

Newtonville School Graduates.

Special exercises for the graduates of Newtonville schools were included in the regular morning and evening services at the Newtonville Methodist church last Sunday.

The interior of the edifice was decorated with flowers and the pulpit festooned with roses and fern. More than 40 graduates of the High and grammar schools were present both morning and evening.

In the morning the pastor, Rev. William J. Thompson, delivered an appropriate sermon. He said in part:

"Knowledge makes man a power in the world. The giants of the earth, both in and out of the church, are men of knowledge. It is demanded to-day, when competition has never been stronger. There will be born in medicine another Lister, and in electricity a second Edison to add knowledge to the great truths of science already known to us."

"At the evening service an address on 'The Culture of the Imagination,' given by A. J. George, instructor in English at the Newton High school, was listened to by a large number.

A Card of Thanks.

I wish to say that I feel under lasting obligations for what Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has done for my family. We have used it in so many cases of coughs, lung troubles and whooping cough, and it has always given the most perfect satisfaction. We feel greatly indebted to the manufacturers of this remedy, and wish them to please accept our hearty thanks.—Respectfully, Mrs. S. Dory, Des Moines, Iowa. For sale by A. Hudson, Newton; E. F. Partridge, Newtonville; B. Billings, Newton Upper Falls; J. H. Green, Newton Highlands.

Gypsy Moth in Newton.

The gypsy moth has made its appearance in Newton, which up to date has prided itself on freedom from the pest. An extensive colony has taken possession of a large area, nearly a mile in length, between Newton Highlands and Dedham, in the vicinity of Dedham and Parker streets. The gypsy moth commissioners were notified Saturday. Supt. Bailey, with a force of 25 men, took the field and commenced work. This force will probably be doubled and efforts made to exterminate the pest in this city.

Wanted—Case of bad health that R-P-A-N-S will not benefit. Send 5 cents to Ripans Chemical Co., New York, for 10 samples and 1,000 testimonials.

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

Pursuant to a Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage given by Patrick H. Barry of Newton to Theodore Jones of Weston, and for breach of the conditions thereof will be sold at Public Auction on Saturday the 15th day of July next at 4 o'clock P. M. on the premises a certain lot of land with the buildings thereon, situated in said Newton and bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the North East corner of the premises on the South side of Auburndale avenue and the West side of Oak avenue, thence running Southerly on Oak avenue 56 feet more or less to the line of the premises of the late John D. Barry, thence running Westerly by land of said Barry to land now or formerly owned by Seth Davis, thence running by the last mentioned land to Auburndale Avenue, thence turning and running on said Avenue to the point of beginning or however otherwise bounded or described, beforesaid premises formerly owned by Michael Barry, deceased.

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June 10th 1899.

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WORKING BOYS' HOME.

THIRD ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES OF THIS INSTITUTION HELD LAST MONDAY.

Exercises marking the third annual commencement of St. John's Industrial School were held Monday afternoon, in the main hall of the school building, 57 Winchester street, Newton Highlands. About 100 visitors were present, including members of the board of directors, officers of the school corporation and friends and relatives of the boys.

The exercises were of an interesting character. The program consisted of chorus singing by the school, recitations, dialogues and instrumental music. A feature was the music by the school orchestra, consisting of 16 boys, and the school band of 45 pieces, under the direction of Mr. Vincent Akroyde. The order of exercises was as follows:

March, "The Messenger," orchestra; chorus, "Never Old as Words of Welcome," school; recitation, "The Last Hymn," Joseph Young; overture, "The Bridal Rose," motion song, "Leap Frog John," juveniles; recitation, "Pussy," Matthew Horgan; selection, "Softly Rang the Bells of Heaven," orchestra; song and drill, "The Jolly Tars," dialogue, "The Young Critic," Daniel Horgan and Edward Dolan; selection, "Palace," quartet, "Come Where the Lilies Bloom," George Hardy, John Ryan, John Killgoor, Walter Ashcroft; recitation, "St. Patrick's Vision," Edward Wallace; overture, "William Tell," band; distribution of prizes; finale, "Flag of Columbia."

Preceding the award of prizes, addresses of a congratulatory nature were made by the Rev. Fr. John F. Ford, head superintendent, and the Rev. Fr. O'Farrell of Boston. The prizes, which were awarded by the Rev. Fr. Ford, assisted by the Rev. James J. Farrelly, were given as follows: Good conduct, first class, gold medal, Francis Healy; second class, gold medal, Edward Wallace; Christian doctrine, first class, gold medal, James Condy; second class, gold medal, David Meyers; English grammar, first class, Denis McKenna; second class, gold medal, George Dunn; third class, gold medal, Edward Wallace; History, Daniel McFarland; Arithmetic, first class, Walter Ashcroft; second class, Archille Oullette; third class, Francis McCarthy; Reading, Joseph Oullette; Spelling, William Donnelly.

The gold medals were the gifts of the Rev. D. J. Wholey of Newton Centre, and Mother Teresa of Allegheny, N. Y.

The school, which is known to many as the Working Boys' Home, under the careful management of those in charge, is in a prosperous condition. At the present time, the home shelters about 160 boys, ranging in ages between 7 and 16 years. These boys are not merely sheltered and cared for, but receive all the advantages of a Christian training, and are taught to avoid dangers in life.

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Street Railway Changes in Watertown.

From the expressions of people we have met we should say that the action of the selectmen in granting the petition of the Boston Elevated Railway company for double track locations on Main and Galen streets, to the Newton line, in place of the present existing single track, will meet with the approval of the public. The hearing last Friday evening was fairly well attended and no opposition was expressed. Later in the evening the selectmen voted to grant the permission desired, but under certain conditions. One, which will be appreciated by all who use the street cars, is that Watertown people may be allowed to go to Boston for one fare, either by way of Newton or Cambridge. Another is that the company shall asphalt between the rails on Main street. Another, that the curve on the west side of Watertown square be removed. Galen street must also be left in good condition. General Banerett, president of the company, is soon to meet the board again and discuss the matter, and we hope to publish in our next issue an acceptance of the franchise. While the petitioners secure valuable rights, there will be a return to the town, especially to those who use the cars. The waiting at Beacon square will be overcome and there will be no serious congestions on Main street, caused by so many electric cars all wishing to use the single track at the same time. Better time can be made and the service generally improved. Regarding the narrowness of the street, if the asphalt is properly laid, the street inside the rails can be used by wagons and no doubt will be of as much service as the rest of the highway.

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BOOKS AND MAGAZINES.

"A Cosmopolitan Comedy," by Anna Robeson Brown, fully justifies its title. The list of characters includes a Connecticut beauty, who has become by marriage a Russian countess, a Frenchman who is a spy of the Spanish government, a Cuban patriot, a heroine, who is half Russian, some servants who are wholly Russian, and an American civilian who is inexplicably charged by the United States government with the preparation of the coast defenses of New England at the outset of the Spanish war. The spy has given the countess a huge pearl from the crown jewels of Spain, as the price of her stealing from her cousin, the American, the plans for defense, and with this laudable aim she invites him to her chateau on the Maine coast. That her design is frustrated is due in part to the heroine, who in a Rosalind disguise is painting landscapes in the vicinity. It is all highly preposterous and very amusing.—New York, D. Appleton & Co.

Mother: "Girls, we mustn't worry your father about going away this summer. His finances are extremely low, I know. I looked in his check book yesterday and he had only one check left."—Harlem Life.

SECRETARY LONG WORRIED

OVER THE PREDATORY WARFARE IN THE PHILIPPINES.

(Washington Dispatch to the Chicago Daily News.)

Another surprise was afforded the cabinet by Secretary Long, who is getting more and more opposed to the slaughtering war fare against the natives. Always of a pacific disposition, the secretary of the navy has recently been stirred by what he considers reckless slaughter of natives by the navy's vessels.

Information has come to him through private letters from sailors that wherever natives have been assembled on the shore in firing distance, the war ships have opened fire, regardless of any hostile provocation, often killing women and children and wrecking private property. Many acts of sailors have been reported to the secretary which he hardly considers in keeping with rules of civilized warfare.

Pianos and other private property have been carried away by sailors to the war ships, and from communities reported to be pacified and under American military control.

These depredations have worried Secretary Long, and he has made the facts known to the president and his associates in the cabinet. For some time Secretary Long has been growing restless at the prolongation of the war and his attitude is now a source of grave concern.

Would Not Suffer So Again For Fifty Times Its Price.

I awoke last night with severe pains in my stomach. I never felt so badly in all my life. When I came down to work this morning I felt so weak I could hardly work. I went to Miller & McCurdy's drug store and they recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It worked like magic and one dose fixed me all right. It certainly is the finest thing I ever used for stomach trouble. I shall not be without it in my home hereafter, for I should not care to endure the sufferings of last night again for fifty times its price.—G. H. Wilson, Liverman, Burgettstown, Washington Co., Pa. This remedy is for sale by A. Hudson, Newton; E. F. Partridge, Newtonville; B. Billings, Newton Upper Falls; J. H. Green, Newton.

Executive Strabismus.

To the Editor of the Graphic:—Can it be true, that our honored and respected mayor is afflicted with optical or mental strabismus?

We all were disposed to feel that the decision on the asphalt contract was a mistake, an error of judgment, not an intentional wrong. But now we read that "Mayor Wilson has ordered the settees removed from Lincoln Park, West Newton, because the language of the rowdies, making use of them evenings, is vulgar and profane, and an offence in the ears of those dwelling in the immediate vicinity;" and we ask, "Is this the legitimate protection the citizens of Newton demand from their chief executive? Is it not rather a punishment inflicted upon innocent citizens—people waiting for electric, or on the gentlemanly and deserving members of our fire department opposite the park, who frequently made use of these settees on sultry evenings, or on nurses or mothers with their children, who found there rest and a grateful shade during the day? Is this punishment of innocent and reputable citizens, because of the misbehavior of rowdies and loafers, a fair and legitimate exercise of the power in the hands of our mayor and secure the blessings of good government to our citizens? What orders shall we next look for?"

ORDER NO. 2.

Owing to the persistency of the loafers in sitting on the grass on Lincoln Park, in lieu of the settees taken therefrom, the commissioner of highways and parks is instructed to remove thoroughly the turf from said park, and, if necessary, to cut down the trees thereon, to the end that profanity and vulgarity may be banished from the said area.

ORDER NO. 3.

Owing to the defilement of the water in the watering basins throughout the city, by small boys and "hoodlums" throwing therein dirt, manure, etc., notice is hereby given that the said basins will have the city water cut off after date. Owners of horses, dogs, and other animals will please take notice and act accordingly.

ORDER NO. 4.

Owing to the persistent sliding of small boys and girls, down the wooden slopes in front of the City Hall, and their monopolizing the steps for the active game of tag, notice is hereby given that the front doors of City Hall will be closed after this date. All persons having business at the Hall will enter by the door on West side; or, if that is also in possession of the boys and girls, will ascend to the messenger's office by the ladder there placed, taking care to have a friend guarding the lower end meanwhile.

These illustrations of the absurdity of such "protection" must suffice. If our worthy mayor will read these "orders" and see to it that they do not become historical, perhaps we may see his "strabismus" wondrously cured; if so we shall see the settees replaced on Lincoln and other parks, and the rowdies and hoodlums punished as they deserve to be.

JAMES T. ALLEN.

POMROY HOME.

DONATIONS FOR MAY AND JUNE.

Mrs. N. K. Putnam, clothing; Mr. Wellington Howes, kindling; Mrs. Ellison, dresses; Mrs. J. K. Taylor, clothing; Mrs. D. R. Emerson, cake and rhubarb; Miss M. Shannon, milk, apples and potatoes; Miss Mabel Wellington, dolls and games; Mrs. Lynch, Boyd street, hat; friend, millinery; Mrs. E. A. Lamplie, bed, bedding, dishes, carpet, etc.; Mrs. W. S. Edmonds, millinery; Mrs. J. S. Potter, remnants of carpeting, and two tickets to musicals; Mrs. M. P. Springer, clothing; Mrs. E. A. Crosby, clothing; Miss Sally Wetherbee, clothing; Mr. James Paxton, bread and rolls; Mrs. J. W. Dickerson, clothing.

MISS MABEL WELLINGTON, large quantity of toys; friend, waist and shoes; Miss M. Shannon, \$5.00 for girls' outings, milk, rhubarb, and potatoes; Mr. W. H. Emerson, 22 tickets and \$2.00 for girls to go down the harbor to visit the "war ships"; Miss Ethel Harwood, flowers; Mrs. J. S. Potter, clothing.

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GRAMMAR SCHOOL GRADUATES.

NAMES OF THE PUPILS WHO RECEIVED THEIR DIPLOMAS IN VARIOUS SCHOOLS.

PEITRE SCHOOL.

John Arthur Alern, Ethel Sargent Barbour, Edward Bellamy, Mary Addie Berry, William N. E. Brown, Gertrude Mallard Blod, Clara M. Ballard, Dora M. Burr, Arthur F. Chamberlain, Anna Conley, Frank Sayles Dart, Henrietta Davis, Dana Christina Dodge, Mary Florence Donnel, James A. Dowling, Howard S. Flecher, Ethel Theodore Elm, Chester R. French, Clifford Warren Gammons, Mary E. Gannon, Elizabeth J. Gaw, Edward J. Gately, John Joseph Gleason, Julia Edith Gault, Mabel L. Gunther, Mae Esther Gorman, Florence May Hall, Mary Agnes Hargredon, May Pearl Holland, E. Gertrude Healy, Marion Howland, Eva L. Hovey, Ethel M. Jaynes, Marguerite M. Hussey, Fred O. Johnson, John M. Kaley, Arthur Lyman Kelbo, William George Lill, Phyllis Tilton Knight, Walter Lovell, Paul Ingraham, Thomas Butler Magne, Florence J. Mac Bride, Arthur M. Manning, Thomas Francis Maloney, Michael J. Murphy, Ethel A. McNeill, Karl Willis Richards, Caroline E. Pomfret, Arthur C. Roosa, William Henry Ryan, Hattie Francis Seaver, Edith Shattuck, Alice Louise Sheffield, Frank Morton Sherman, William James Stickney, Jr., Mabel Perch Tyler, Homer Frances Tilton, Kenneth W. Wilson, Margaret T. Welch.

MASON SCHOOL.

Walter Andrews, Irene Ayres, Frederic Eugene Bannet, May L. Barry, Jacob Beck, Lottie V. Beal, Corning Benton, Burton Beless, Samuel Edmons Brown, Patrick J. Burke, Arthur Bushell, Margaret Cecilia Calnan, Richard F. Calnan, Robert B. Chapin, Fred Chapman, Cornelius J. Coleman, Arthur Cronkite, P. Arthur Davis, Marie H. Dennison, Mary Elizabeth J. Dexter, Helen R. Dill, James W. Driscoll, Edith B. Durkee, Nellie J. Foley, John W. Gahan, M. Chester Gardner, William H. Golding, Gertrude Hammett, Walter D. Hannigan, Donald M. Houghton, Mary A. Hurley, Emily Johnson, William M. Johnson, Edith H. Kidder, Philip A. Kiese, Florence E. King, Helen Leach, Addie F. Linn, Helen G. Lovell, Evelyn W. Mabey, Charles A. Mabey, Marguerite Mason, Timothy J. Maloney, John McDougal, Albert Nichols, John McDougal, Albert Nichols, Margaret E. Noyes, A. Gertrude O'Brien, Francis J. O'Kane, George D. Payne, Carlos T. Pierce, Minnie A. Pollard, Robert Rand, Clarence W. Randlett, Mary Russell, Annie G. Sculley, Edward Sculley, Ellen Shute, Edward Sculley, Annie B. Smith, Ethel E. Smith, Henry R. Stevens, Edith E. Sworer, Catherine A. Turner, Ethel M. Tierney, Gertrude Ushar, Josie A. Turner, Florence Elizabeth Walton, Margaret V. Waters, Lillian Wingersky.

BIGELOW SCHOOL.

Richard C. Ashenden, Earle H. Barber, Mary F. Cox, Jennie Dunne, Harrio Hamblin, Robert D. Harrington, C. Asaph Haskell, Ralph Howe, Mildred Ivy, Florence Ivy, Myrtle Kedy, Timothy McCarthy, Alexander Macomber, Bennett Minor, Horace W. Monk, Chester D. Morgan, Marion A. Niles, Louise H. Randall, William Pitt, Harriet G. Reid, William R. Ryan, Beverly G. Second, Edeline Springer, Samuel R. T. Very, Katherine Tucker, Lillian R. Ware, Marion T. Viets, Porter H. Wheeler, C. Oliver Wellington, George L. Whitehead, Pearl Whitcomb, Leslie B. Wood, J. Damon Whittemore, Walter S. Wood.

CLAFIN SCHOOL.

Lida Clark, Edward R. Bailey, Alice Abbott, Ellen Dyson, Harold W. Briggs, Robert W. French, Blanche I. Gates, Ruth M. Hinds, Morton S. Kimball, Eskine P. Noyes, Helen W. Page, Charles M. Parker, Charles P. Slocum, Nellie A. Tancered, Margaret Tapley, Edward T. Trotter, Jr., Marjorie S. Webster, Ada B. Wells, William K. Young, Eleanor S. West.

HYDE SCHOOL.

Elbert D. Bartlett, Edmund P. Brickett, Harold V. Bowen, Allen Bacon, Miriam T. Bates, Lillian C. Butrum, Mary E. Driscoll, Warren F. Draper, Ethel G. Greendige, Clare M. Holbrook, Albert E. Hall, Louise H. Hanna, Elsie L. Lyons, Edith M. Hasbrouck, Seward G. Johnson, Fried H. Lohse, Lizzie M. Laine, Arthur C. Ogden, Selwyn R. Pease, Anthony W. Reese, Mason H. Stone, Ralph R. Shaw, Elizabeth C. Singleton, Rebekah Wood, Ethel P. Wright, William P. Watson, Lloyd N. Young, Guy C. Spooner.

WADE SCHOOL.

Emily D. Brittain, Grace M. Brown, Pearl E. Call, Irouetta E. Cusack, Elizabeth C. Furden, Frances J. Goodwin, Gardner S. Gurd, Whitman T. Kempton, Mary L. Maloney, Margaret F. O'Mara, Delaine M. Purcher, Edward O'Shaughnessy, Almie E. Threlfall, Mary L. Wilde.

ADAMS SCHOOL.

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WILLIAMS SCHOOL.

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Brac Burn Beaten at Home.

The Brae Burn Golf Club team of West Newton was defeated by the Vesper Country Club team of Lowell at West Newton last Saturday by a score of 19 to 2. Among the best scores made were those of A. J. Ranney, 94; F. H. Grover, 94; E. F. Woods, 95; J. T. Thorpe, 96; W. B. Merrill, 98.

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THE SCHOOL BOARD'S POSITION.

The report of the special committee of
the school board, in regard to the superin-
tendent question, is a highly interesting
document, skillfully drawn up, and cleverly
worded, but it leaves the reasons for their
objections to Mr. Aldrich even more
mysterious than they were before. They do
not take the public into their confidence,
but they hint that such questions as to the
hiring of teachers and superintendents are
so delicate and sensitive, that only members
of the school board are qualified to consid-
er them, as if members of a school board
were not plain, ordinary citizens, who as
far as the public can discover, have not
been vested with any special divinity, by
the mere fact of their election.In fact, all the public can do is to fall
back upon the report of the school board
caucus, furnished by Messrs. Howes and
Bond, and consider that that report gave
all the reasons that the anti-Aldrich fac-
tion are willing to divulge, ridiculous as
some of those objections were. There is
nothing especially sacred about a secret
meeting of the school board, any more
than there is about a secret session of the
National Senate, and also no special reason
why all the proceedings should not be made
public, if they are of any serious
moment to the community. What the
committee say in regard to the report of
the caucus, which was furnished the
papers, is a very fine piece of rhetorical
flub-dub, and impressive so far as that
goes, but the lawyers on the committee are
experienced enough to know that the free
use of epithets is not argument.If there was any serious objections to
Mr. Aldrich, no one doubts that it would
have been made public, but it seems more
a case of "I do not like you, Dr. Fell, why
it is I cannot tell," than any well-grounded
objection that could have been avowed.Mr. Howes is certainly entitled to the
thanks of the public for his courage and
pluck in extracting from an unwilling com-
mittee various fragmentary items about the
committee's nominee for superintendent.
The public surely has a right to know
something about the experience and qualifi-
cations of a man to whom it is proposed
to pay the highest salary ever paid to a
Newton superintendent of schools.Mr. Fifield is said to have been for seven
years master of two schools in New
Haven, and to be very highly spoken of by
educators. Nothing was said as to his hav-
ing had any experience as a superintendent,
and thus his trial will be in the nature of an
experiment. But why did the committee
think it necessary to offer so large a salary?
We have masters of schools in Newton,
who would be highly vouched for by edu-
cators, and who now only receive \$2,000 or
\$2,200 a year. It was not stated how much
salary Mr. Fifield is now receiving, but as
Newton's salaries are held to be liberal, it
is doubtful if New Haven pays its masters
any larger sum. If we are to have an in-
experienced superintendent, why offer him
the same salary for which we could secure
a man with years of experience and with a
recognized standing in his profession? The
committee may have wished to be very
liberal, but it was not their own money,
and they should have avoided anything that
looks like extravagance. One great
objection to a change in the office of superin-
tendent is that every committee that
makes it feels obliged to raise the salary,
in order to demonstrate, we suppose, that
the new man is superior to the old one.

The Newton Hospital.

The regular quarterly meeting of the
Trustees of the Newton Hospital was held
on Wednesday, the 28th inst., with Presi-
dent Leeson in the chair, and the following
members present: Messdames Haskell,
Lowell, Nichols, Paine, and Messrs. Bul-
lens, Ellison, Pratt, Travelli, Drs. Seales
and Thayer, the small attendance being
undoubtedly due to the heavy rain at the
time.The report from the Treasurer showed
receipts from the work of the Hospital for
the quarter of \$4290, from other sources
\$1420, while the current disbursements ap-
proximated \$8000. Other reports showed
the work of the institution to be progres-
sing in a most satisfactory manner. Paint-
ing and general renovating in various
wards is now being done, and the increased
accommodations that the new buildings
afford, permit such needed work to be car-
ried on in a more thorough manner and
with less disturbance to the management
and patients than ever before.The resignation of Mrs. George E. Merrill
as trustee on account of removal from the
city, was accepted with much regret, and
the unanimous election of Mrs. John T.
Lodge of Newton filled the vacancy on the
Board. After the completion of the usual
routine business, there was general discus-
sion as to matters pertaining to the best
interests of the Hospital.

AUBURNDALE.

—Mr. Frost has hired a shop in the Davis
block.—The Misses Mosman of Ash street are
away for the summer season.—Mr. Arthur Hosmer of Grove street has
returned from New York.—Miss E. C. Williams will remain at
Kennebunk beach during July.—Mrs. E. D. Johnson of Wrentham is the
guest of her daughter, Mrs. Buss.—Miss Sarah Estabrook of Central street
is passing the summer at the seashore.—Mr. and Mrs. Browning of Woodbine
terrace is away for the summer months.—Mr. Harry Wells of Woodbine street
has returned from a visit in Fall River.—Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Corey of Common-
wealth avenue are at South Poland, Me.—Mrs. Davis and family of Woodland
road are at the seashore for several months.—Mr. Henry Gordon and family will re-
side at the homestead in Grove street for a year.—Mr. Frank Estabrook and family of
Central street are at the seashore for the
summer months.—Prof. J. Walter Davis of Lasell is pass-
ing the vacation season in the Western
states.—Mrs. Grant of Melrose avenue has re-
turned home after a short stay at Nashua,
N. H.—Miss Helen E. Walker has crossed the
ocean to spend six months or more in
travel.—The Auburndale lodge of Good Tem-
plars meet Thursday evenings at 62 Bourne
street.—Mr. Strongman and family of Central
street are at Ashdale, Me., for the summer
months.—Mrs. H. R. Swift of Commonwealth
avenue is passing the summer months at
Stoughton.—Mrs. James Kendall corner Woodland
road and Hancock street is reported as
quite ill.—Mrs. Norton and family of Hancock
street are in New Hampshire for the sum-
mer months.—Mr. George Johnson of Keyes' drug
store is reported as being quite ill with
typhoid fever.—Mr. Arthur Plummer of Lexington
street has returned from a business trip in
the Provinces.—Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Churchhill of Utica,
N. Y., are the guests of relatives here un-
til after the 4th.—The large bear at the Norumbega Park
Zoo died early last Friday morning after a
few days' illness.—The Seceusia Society of Auburndale
held a reunion at the Atlantic House, Nant-
asket, yesterday.—Mrs. W. A. Knowlton and family of
Hancock street are at Point Allerton for
the summer season.—Mr. and Mrs. James Tracy of Wood-
bine street are receiving congratulations on
the birth of a boy.—Mrs. F. A. Sawyer and daughter of
Woodland road are in California, they will
return in September.—Mr. Gallagher and family of Lasell
have moved into the house formerly occu-
pied by Prof. Bragdon.—Mr. H. R. Turner and family of Central
street will return home this week after
several weeks absence.—Mr. Peterson and family, formerly of
Oris street, have moved into their new
home on Higgins street.—The Misses Brown of Northfield are
the guests of Mrs. James Kendall at her
home on Woodland road.—Mrs. Francis A. Pluta has returned
after a week's absence on account of the
illness of her father.—Mrs. Bourne will pass several weeks
with her son, Mr. George H. Bourne at his
home on Woodbine street.—Mr. James B. Knowlton of this place
attended the Knowlton family reunion at
Ipswich, last Wednesday.—Mrs. Bunker and family of Grove street
left this week for the seashore, where they
will pass the warm season.—Mrs. J. M. Gordon and daughter, Miss
Bessie, have returned from New York to
their home on Grove street.—Mrs. H. A. Thorndike of Islington
street is at Brookside cottage, East Fox-
boro, for the summer season.—Rev. F. N. Peloubet and family of
Woodland road left this week for their sum-
mer home at Waterville, N. H.—Miss Mary A. Driver of Weston was
among the graduates from the Normal
school at Framingham this week.—Mrs. Hazard, corner of Woodbine
and Bourne streets, is passing the summer
season with her parents at Brookline.—A lawn party was held on the grounds
corner of Auburn street and Common-
wealth avenue last Wednesday evening.—Miss Maude Williston Clark received
the bachelor's degree at the graduation ex-
ercises at Wellesley College last Tuesday.—At the annual meeting of the Harvard
Alumni Association, Mr. S. Lothrop
Thorndike of Weston was elected as treasur-
er.—The meetings of the Business Men's
topic class at the Congregational church
will be suspended during the remainder of
the summer.—Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fowle, who
have been stopping at the Woodland Park
Hotel, have returned to their home in
Swampscott.—Among the graduates from Wellesley
College this week were the Misses Maude
Williston Clark and Juliette Hart Derrin
of this place.—Walter Reynolds of Natick was thrown
from his bicycle on Melrose street last
Wednesday forenoon and slightly injured.
His wheel was badly damaged.—Prof. Dean A. Walker spoke on "The
Experiences and Experiments of the Proph-
ets" at the evening meeting in the Con-
gregational church, last Sunday.—Five canoes were overturned on the
river last Saturday evening. The assist-
ance of the people in boats nearby saved
many of the occupants from drowning.—Mrs. Phillips of Commonwealth avenue
has returned home after several weeks
stay at Old Orchard, Me. Her sister, Mrs.
Phillips of that place, returned with her.—Mr. H. W. Hovey Hill has bought for
investment, a house of two tenements and
7000 feet of land on Freeman street. Mr.
F. A. Carnes was the grantor, and the
price paid private.—Miss Susan G. Mosman and Miss Mary
C. Mosman of Commonwealth avenue
sailed this week with a party from Boston
University. Their summer's trip may
possibly be extended to a longer period.—Mr. and Mrs. Thorndike of Islington
road gave a picnic to the children of Aub-
urn Hall Kindergarten, Tuesday last.
Forty little ones enjoyed the beautiful
grove and the treat of ice-cream and cake.—The officers and directors of the First
National Bank at West Newton were en-
tertained at Mr. H. R. Turner's cottage at
Point Allerton last Tuesday. They took a
very interesting drive to the new fortifica-tions on top of Telegraph Hill and visited
the life-saving station at Stony Beach, giv-
ing Miss Vining a short call upon the way.—The Newton Co-operative Bank will
not open Tuesday, July 4th. Dues may be
paid Wednesday, the 5th.—Mr. Sanford Cutler and family are to
occupy the house of the Misses Mosman,
who are abroad for the summer.—There was a quiet wedding at the resi-
dence of Mr. W. N. Cooley, Central street,
when his daughter Bessie was married.—Mrs. Margaret, widow of Caleb Pratt,
died at her home on Auburndale avenue,
this morning, after an illness of several
weeks. She was the grandmother of
George H. Pratt.—Among the Auburndale people who
accompanied Mr. Shepherd's party to Eu-
rope were: Mrs. Augusta Feagles and
daughter Nellie, Miss Harriet Sawyer and
Miss Fannie Dillingham. They sailed from
Boston, Wednesday.—Last week a lawn party was held at
the New England Peabody Home for cri-
ppled children at Weston. A large number
who came from Boston were conveyed
to the main dining room at 8.30,
which was prettily decorated with carna-
tions and asparagus for the occasion.—A pleasant home wedding took place at
the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Young
on Wednesday, when their sister, Miss
Adelaide Nimms, became the bride of Mr.
J. J. Fisher of Waltham. Rev. Edward A.
Rand of Watertown officiated. The bride
was given away by her father. The rooms
were prettily decorated with palms and
hydrangeas. The bride wore a becoming
traveling gown of gray, with a white silk
waist and a dainty hat of the same tone.
The guests were chiefly family friends.
After a choice supper, Mr. and Mrs. Fisher
left for their wedding journey.—The senior class of Wellesley College
held a banquet at the hotel, Thursday eve-
ning. One hundred and fifty members of
the class came down in special cars, all
wearing the cap and gown. Dinner was
served in the main dining room at 8.30,
which was prettily decorated with carna-
tions and asparagus for the occasion.—The re-union of the class of '95 Wellesley
took place at the hotel, Saturday, about
twenty members sitting down to dinner
prepared for them at 1.30.—Chas. F. Dowse and family of Boston
have arrived for the summer.—Wm. M. Cram of Philadelphia, of the
firm of Cramp's, Ship Builders, is here for
a short stay, accompanied by his wife.—The present month has been the busiest
in the history of the hotel, the house being
full up to the present time, and on several
different occasions, people turned away un-
able to secure accommodations.—Mr. C. E. Niles of New York arrived
Sunday for a few weeks stay.—John S. Wilson and wife, and Miss
Mooney of Pittsburgh, Pa., came up for the
Brown-Sites wedding, and will remain at
the hotel for a few weeks.—Miss Edith Rogers, who has been spend-
ing the month of June here, sailed on Sat-
urday from New York, for a three months
trip abroad.—Wm. B. Sprout and wife of Natick are at
the hotel, for a short stay, prior to their de-
parture for Europe, July 6th.—Mr. Butler catered for 250 people at
Wellesley College on Thursday.—A banquet was served to twenty mem-
bers of the class of '79, the first graduating
class of Wellesley College, at the hotel,
Tuesday morning.—The class of '84 Wellesley, held their
annual re-union at the hotel, Thursday,
twenty members being present.—Wm. Dillon returned Monday from a
short business trip to New York.—Miss L. D. McNamara of Peterham,
Mass., is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gooding
at the hotel, for a week. Mr. and Mrs. G.
B. Poole, Brookline, H. B. Swartz and
wife, Uxbridge, Mass., Thornton H. Hardy,
Cambridge, were among last week's ar-
rivals.

—Newton Club's Concert.

Last evening, the fourth in the series of
June concerts was given at the Newton
Club. A feature of the evening was the
applause with which was received the an-
nouncement of the success of the Harvard
boat crews at New London. The large as-
semblage, almost as a unit, broke out into
hearty cheering and handclapping, and
"Fair Harvard" was played with a vim by
the band.—The music of the evening was furnished
by Stewart's Military band, which gave a
fine program, and there was the usual large
attendance.

MASONIC INSTALLATION.

LARGE GATHERING AT THE CEREMONY
HELD BY DALHOUSIE LODGE, NEWTON.The Masonic temple at Newtonville was
completely filled last evening with a gath-
ering of representative Newton people, the
occasion being the public installation of the
officers-elect of Dalhousie lodge, F. and
A. M.The ceremony was conducted by RW
Albert L. Harwood, assisted by Past Mas-
ter George P. Whitmore, and was of the
most interesting character.The reception committee included G. P.
Whitmore, Robert Bennett, Edwin W.
Gay, G. A. Gleason, W. A. Wetherbee, W.
M. Flanders, E. S. Benedict, H. S. Allen,
John W. Fisher, W. S. Slocum, J. B.
Fuller, C. A. Brown, J. P. Eustis, E. P.
Hatch and James M. Beck.After a selection by a quartet, the lodge
received Past Deputy Grand Master Har-
wood and suite. He then installed Wallace
C. Boyden as worshipful master, followed
by Clarence E. Hanscom as senior warden
and Avalon Graves as junior warden.Other officers were installed as follows:
PM Robert Bennett, T. E. E. Morgan, S.
John A. Fenno SD, Mitchell Wing J. D., G.
G. Phipps chaplain, J. J. Coxeter marshal,
Edward S. Benedict SS, Horton S. Allen
JS, Edwin H. Cram IS, Frank H. Wheeler
organist, James Pickens Tyler.The electric service on Washington street
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MARRIED.

HORNICK—DOWNS—At Nonantum, June 19,
by George Hudson, J. P., Chetwood William
Hornick and Louise Downes.WRIGHT—CLARKE—At Boston, June 21, by
Rev. C. G. Ames, Vernon A. Wright and Grace
T. Clarke.BURKE—MORRIS—At Boston, June 24, by Rev.
R. J. Barry, Michael Joseph Burke and Bridget
Morris.SMITH—McHUGH—At Waltham, June 22, by
Rev. F. R. Greul, Arthur Smith and Nora Mc-
Hugh, both of West Newton.BROWN—SITES—At Newton, June 21, by Rev.
C. E. Holmes, Francis Theodore Brown and
Ruth Marie Sites.Dwyer—Rourke—At Watertown, June 25,
by Rev. J. F. Kelly, Michael Francis Dwyer
and Bridget Theresa Rourke.AYERS—McCOURT—At Wellesley Lower Falls,
June 28, by Rev. P. H. Callanan, John B. Ayers
and Mary McCourt.NICKERSON—TERRY—At Boston, June 28, by
Rev. F. T. Rem, Ephraim P. Nickerson and
Mary Margaret Terry, both of Newton.FISHER—NIMMO—At Auburndale, June 28, by
Rev. E. A. Rand, Joel Joseph Fisher and Ade-
laide Dickson Nimmo.HAASE—BROWN—At Newton, June 28, by Rev.
C. A. Dickman, Max Herman Haase and
Louise Agnes Brown.KING—PIKE—At Newton, June 16, by Rev.
Daniel Greene, James H. King and Jennie E.
A. Pike, both of Watertown.

DIED.

YOUNG—At Newton Hospital, June 24, Sarah,
wife of Richard M. Young, 39 yrs. 11 mos. 21
ds.JEFFERS—At Newton, June 25, Elizabeth,
widow of John Jeffers, 98 yrs.HASTINGS—At Newton, June 28, Sarah, widow
of George Hastings, formerly of Waltham.
Funeral from her late residence, 16 Fairview
street, Newton, Saturday, July 1, at 2.30 o'clock.

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NEWTONVILLE.

—Buy fireworks, Tainter's. Boston prices.

—Mrs. W. O. Tuttle of Harvard street is enjoying a few days' trip in Maine.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Kingsbury are at the Bevan house, Larchmont, N. Y.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Billings and son left this week for a two weeks' stay in Maine.

—Miss Sadie Bailey of Cabot street is convalescing after her recent severe illness.

—Mr. H. E. Duncan of Foster street is enjoying a fishing and gunning trip in Maine.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wentworth of Foster street are enjoying a short stay at South Easton.

—Mr. E. C. Belcher and family of Mill street are occupying their summer home at Easton.

—Miss Kittie Atwood of Austin street is enjoying a few days' stay with friends at Somerville.

—Miss Addie Bowden of Chicago was the guest this week of Miss Kittie Atwood, Austin street.

—Mr. J. L. Richards and family are at the Atlantic Club house, Allerton, for the month of July.

—No Sunday afternoon services will be held by St. John's Episcopal society during July and August.

—Mr. H. A. Bombard has leased the large store in Bridgman's block to Mr. M. P. Carr of Boston.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Curtis of Lowell avenue left this week for the mountains, where they will pass the warm season.

—Rev. and Mrs. Loring, formerly of Cambridge, are occupying their new home on Trowbridge avenue.

—The Newton Co-operative Bank will not be open Tuesday, July 4th. Dues may be paid Wednesday the 5th.

—Mrs. Jones, who was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Small of Austin street, has returned to her home at Barnstable.

—The Universalist church has been closed for repairs during July and August. It will be reopened September 1st.

—Mrs. F. E. Macomber and family of Lowell avenue left yesterday for their summer home at Lake Sunapee, N. H.

—The many friends of Miss Gertrude Swords of Otis place were much pleased to see her out this week after her recent severe illness.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roderick McKenzie and son Frank are occupying their cottage on North Water street, Nantucket, for the summer months.

—Mr. Alfred C. Frost, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Patterson of Newtonville avenue, has returned to his home at Dublin, N. H.

—Mrs. Margaret Graham and Mrs. Alice Brown, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Soule, Walker street, leave this week for Warren, Ill.

—Mr. Clarence Wentworth of Foster street was in Hingham for a few days this week. He attended the dedication of the new public library of that place.

—Mrs. Zilpah T. Harris, mother of Mrs. Frank T. Harris, who died at her home in Putnam Heights, Conn., on Monday, June 25th, aged 84 years.

—There are letters remaining in the post-office for Francis Mankin, Harry D. Heath, Miss Nellie Deveau, 575 Watertown street, Miss Agnes White, 150 Cabot street.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Fessenden of New York were the guests of friends here for a few days. They left Thursday for Maine, where they will remain about two months.

—Mr. and Mrs. George B. Jones, Master Harry and Miss Hortense Jones of New York, formerly of this place, sailed Saturday on the Atlantic for Europe, where they will remain several months.

—Mr. H. B. Chamberlain of this place and Mr. and Mrs. J. Cheever Fuller of West Newton are enjoying a trip through Canada. They will return by way of Ohio and New York, visiting many points of interest in those states.

—Rev. Samuel Dunham of Wakefield has accepted the call to the Universalist church here. He will begin his pastorate about September 1st. Dr. Dunham is very popular in Wakefield, and his parishioners have expressed their regret at his contemplated departure.

—Rev. Dr. A. E. Colton will deliver an address at the Methodist church this evening on "What the American Bible Society has done for America and the World." The service will begin at 7.45, and a cordial invitation is extended to all who are interested in the work of the above named society to attend.

—Miss A. M. Nelson of the Clafin school will leave Newton for Brookline, and the pupils of the 7th grade, to show their affection for her, presented her on Tuesday with a pearl and diamond pin. Miss Vera E. Rumery made the presentation. Her pupils regret very much Miss Nelson's departure from Newton.

—Children's day was observed at the Universalist church last Sunday, and Dr. Dunham gave an interesting address to the little folks who filled the front seats. Music was furnished by the Sunday school, including selections by the quartet and exercises by the primary class. Several infants were christened at the close of the regular exercises.

—Monday afternoon about 60 members of the class of 1900 of the Newton High School, under the leadership of Mr. Carter on Highland avenue. The affair, which was informal, commenced shortly before noon with a lunch and garden party in a grove near the home of the Newton High School. The subject, "The Culture of Numbers by members of the class furnished abundant amusement for the afternoon's enjoyment.

—An address was delivered on Sunday evening last at the Methodist church by Prof. A. J. George, of the Newton High School, upon the subject, "The Culture of the Imagination." A large audience of both young and old filled the house and listened attentively to the address, which presented for its ideal the child life and thought in its simplicity, untrammelled by the rigid bounds of actual experience.

—At the last regular meeting of Boynton Lodge Odd Ladies, held Tuesday afternoon, June 27, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: W. P. L., Ruth A. Froelove; W. N. L., Isabel C. Pettibone; chaplain, Angie L. Weeks; rec. sec., Jennie L. Clark; L. R., Marie C. E. Wales; F. sec., Callie Silek; treas., Nellie M. Cook; sen. war., Martha A. Burnett; jr. war., Mable H. Winn; conductor, Laura J. Brook; guard, Harriet H. Young.

—Boynton Lodge No. 20 U. O. of I. O. L. enjoyed a day's outing at the summer residence of their junior representative sister, M. B. Hamblin, in Foxboro, Friday, June 23d. The day was fine, and it was a merry party of Odd Ladies that left the Providence depot in Boston at 8.45 a. m. for Foxboro, where they were met by Sister Hamblin and a two-hour express team, and a jolly ride they had arriving at the farm at 11 o'clock. At 1 o'clock they were invited to the dining-room, where a bountiful dinner had been spread, and all did justice to the tempting viands. In the afternoon they had their pictures taken upon the lawn by the husband of our Past Senior Representative Sister May E. Clark, who, by the way, was the only gentleman in the party, but who of course enjoyed being an escort to all those Odd Ladies. The day was a most enjoyable one. At 5 o'clock we partook of a fine collation, and at 6 we started for home in our express team, giving three rousing cheers for our hostess. The occasion was one which will be long remembered by those permitted to enjoy it.

—Mr. C. Lodge is in Philadelphia for two months.

—Mr. William Gould of Crafts street is reported ill.

—Mr. Christopher McHale is enjoying his vacation at Hopkinton.

—Miss Alice M. Nelson will pass the summer vacation in Europe.

—Mr. Frances Macomber of Worcester street is at the seashore for a few weeks.

—Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Thompson have been spending a few days in Rangleley, Me.

—Mrs. F. A. Waterhouse and family are occupying their summer residence at Falmouth.

—Mr. Jewett and family have moved into their new house on Trowbridge avenue.

—Mrs. Charles Johnson of Washington street has returned home after a short stay at Gloucester.

—Mr. Wm. T. Vose and family of Edinboro street are at their cottage, Standish Shore, So. Duxbury.

—Mr. John Carter and family of Highland avenue are occupying their summer residence at Duxbury.

—Dr. William O. Hunt and family of Walnut street are occupying their summer residence at Winthrop.

—Mr. John Butler and family of Linwood avenue left this week for their summer residence at Winthrop.

—Mr. H. M. Soule and family of Brooks avenue left this week for the mountains, where they will pass the warm season.

—Dr. Stevenson and family, who were occupying the Crocker house, Walnut place, left Wednesday for their summer residence.

—Mrs. Hattie Moore of Hartford, Conn., was the guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hyslop at their home on Austin street.

—Mr. W. C. Richardson and family of Highland avenue left this week for Point Allerton, where they will remain until September.

—Dr. Henry F. Clark of Newtonville avenue left Thursday for Arizona, where he will look after some mining interests. He will be gone several weeks.

—Mrs. A. Fred Brown is entertaining her friend, Miss Greene of New York. Later in the season Mrs. Brown will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. John V. Tift, at Magnolia.

—Among the Clafin school graduates, this week, was Erskine P. Noyes, who completed the whole course of nine years within eight years. During this time he was never absent nor tardy.

—The recently elected officers of Dalton Lodge were publicly installed Tuesday evening by Deputy Grand Master Albert C. Harwood, assisted by Past Master George P. Whitmore. A banquet was served at the close of exercises.

—Rev. William F. Slocom, D. D., President of Colorado College, will preach at the Central Congregational church next Sunday morning at 10.45, and will deliver the Preparatory Lecture in the chapel, Friday evening at 7.45. All are cordially invited to come.

—A horse attached to a provision wagon of Mr. H. P. Dearborn's, was frightened at the corner of California and Crafts street, Wednesday morning, by a motor carriage owned by Waltham parties. The horse ran toward Waltham, colliding with a tip-cart. The wagon was badly damaged, and the horse considerably cut and bruised.

—The annual meeting of Newton Royal Arch Chapter was held Tuesday evening. The reports were submitted and the following officers elected for the coming year: Commander, Samuel Shaw; General, Frank L. Nagle; Capt. Gen., E. G. Pond; senior warden, W. F. Jarvis; junior warden, J. W. Fisher; treas., J. B. Fuller; recorder, A. C. Jewett; warden, William D. Swan; sentry, George E. Bridges. A collation was served at the close of the business exercises.

WEST NEWTON.

—Buy fireworks, Tainter's. Boston prices.

—Miss Carrie Childs will pass the summer at Houghs Neck.

—Mr. George H. Ingraham was in town for a few days this week.

—Mr. Laurie and family of Shaw street are away for the summer season.

—Mr. W. G. Bell and family of Shaw street are summering at Kennebunk.

—Mr. E. F. Woods and family of Prince street are summering at Kennebunk.

—Mrs. Seth Davis of Eden avenue passed a few days in Springfield this week.

—Mr. H. B. Day and family of Prince street are summering at the seashore.

—Communion service was held Sunday evening at the Congregational church.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Small of New York will pass the summer season with friends here.

—Mr. H. A. Pike and family of Winthrop street are occupying their cottage at Winthrop.

—Mr. C. P. Hall and family of Otis street are at their summer home at Kennebunk.

—Mrs. H. K. Burrisson and son of Lincoln park left this week for their cottage at Provincetown.

—Mr. A. B. Inman and family of Perkins street leave July 1st for their summer home at Lanesville.

—Miss Bertha Robbins of Cherry street is the guest of relatives at South Boston for a few weeks.

—Mrs. B. F. Jacobs was the guest this week of her daughter, Mrs. E. J. Robbins, Cherry street.

—Mr. Paul Waters of Webster park returned this week from Amherst for the holiday season.

—Mrs. Burrisson and granddaughter, Miss Olive, are enjoying a few weeks' stay in New Hampshire.

—Mr. Charles Leatherbee and family of Mt. Vernon street are at the seashore for the warm season.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Cheever Fuller are enjoying a few weeks' trip through Canada and the Western states.

—Among the graduates from Wellesley College this week was Miss Adeline Putnam of Winthrop street.

—The Newton Co-operative Bank will not be open Tuesday, July 4th. Dues may be paid Wednesday, July 5th.

—Mrs. T. P. Prudden and children of Winthrop street left Thursday for their summer home at Camden, Me.

—Among the summer residents at Kennebunk are Dr. H. P. Bellows and family, corner of Putnam and Temple streets.

—Mr. Albert C. Warren and family of Chestnut street are at the Nautilus Inn, Point Allerton, for the summer months.

—A prayer meeting will be held in the Congregational chapel this evening. The topic will be, "The God of all Comfort."

—Mr. Warren F. Gregory of Highland street delivered the address before the twelfth graduating class of Murdock's school, Winchendon, Mass., on Wednesday of last week, taking the place of Thomas Wentworth Higginson, who was prevented by illness from filling this engagement. Subject, "The High School Problem." Mr. Gregory's address is to be at once

issued in pamphlet form in response to general local demand.

—Prof. Smith of Allen's English and Classical school left this week for Boothbay, Me., where he will pass his vacation.

—Mr. Charles B. Fleming and Miss Josephine C. Fleming are summering at Point Allerton. They are at the Nautilus Inn.

—Mr. and Mrs. George A. Walton of Chestnut street leave Monday for California, where they expect to remain about six weeks.

—Captain Fiske of Plymouth was entertained this week by Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Furbush at their home on Watertown street.

—Mr. Granville Putnam and family of Webster street left this week for Pigeon Cove, where they will remain until September.

—Mrs. M. M. Wadsworth and family of Highland avenue will pass the summer at Point Allerton. They register at the Nautilus Inn.

—The regular meeting of the Newton Veteran Firemen's Association will be held Wednesday evening at the engine house, Watertown street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Waters and daughter, of East Orange, N. J., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Waters of Webster park for a few weeks.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. Gardner Sprague and family of Putnam street are at Barnstable for the season. They were accompanied by Mr. Frank W. Sprague and family.

—The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Newton Veteran Firemen's Association, held the last meeting of the season Monday night at the engine house, Watertown street.

—Miss Clara Grace Elkins was one of the bridesmaids at the wedding of Miss Edwards and Mr. Martin Schenck of New York, at Detroit, Mich., on Wednesday.

—The regular session of the Congregational Sunday school will be omitted during July and August, with the exception of the primary class, which will meet as usual.

—Mrs. Cutler, who was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Sanderson of Watertown street, leaves this week for her home at Highgate, Vt. Miss Gertrude Sanderson accompanies her.

—About twenty of the business men of this place enjoyed a successful fishing trip Wednesday. They went to Egg Rock. A number of large fish were exhibited as trophies of the day's sport.

—The Misses Mary and Ethel Howland, Ethel Perrin, Alice Walton and the Misses Gertrude and Marjorie Gane of Chicago left this week for Monhegan, Me., where they will remain during the warm season.

—Mrs. A. F. Luke will leave this week for Beverly, where she will remain until September. Mr. Luke left Sunday night for New York, where he has opened the office for the National Tube Works Company.

—An invitation was received by the Newton Veteran Firemen's Association to attend a muster at Lowell, July 4th. It was voted to decline the same. The invitation to Hudson, Labor Day, will be voted upon at the meeting, Wednesday evening.

—Miss Mabel Glazier gave a piazza whist Monday evening at her home on River street. Several tables were filled, and a pleasant evening was passed. Refreshments were served. Several flash lights were taken as souvenirs of an enjoyable evening.

—Mrs. Mary Putnam has leased her house on Winthrop street for a year. Mrs. Putnam is a native of the town of New York, where they will pass the summer months. In September they go to St. Louis, where Miss Adeline will be engaged in teaching.

—Dr. W. B. Lancaster, eye specialist, who has an office on Newbury street, Boston, and has had his home with Dr. Slater for many years, will on his return from his July vacation, occupy the estate purchased by him on Prince street, near the corner of Berkeley.

—Mr. Frank Linnell of Auburn street, while riding a wheel near the corner of Auburn street and Commonwealth street, was run into by George Mann's milk team. Mr. Linnell was badly cut and bruised about the head and shoulders, but is now much more comfortable.

—Among the members of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers present at the general meeting in the Walker building, Institute of Technology, this week, was Prof. W. L. Puffer of this place. He gave an interesting talk on the resolutions under discussion.

—There are letters remaining in the post office for J. A. Jones, Mrs. Geo. H. Burr, Geo. H. Burr, Miss Lizzie Guild, Mrs. H. Haggert, Eugene Krohn, Charles A. Lowe, Ralph Miller, Miss Alice Merchant, Miss Annie Mountain, Mrs. S. W. Simpson, Miss Edie Shepard, Miss Thelma Weatherpoon.

—No Sunday morning service will be held at the Baptist church during July and August. Services will be held every Sunday and Friday evenings. The invitation received from the Congregational church to unite with them in the morning service was accepted, and a vote of thanks was tendered to the society.

—Mr. D. C. Perkins of 116 Waltham street, reported to the police shortly before 11 o'clock, Sunday evening, that he had caught a thief in the act of stealing his bicycle. The thief, Mr. Perkins says, had removed the wheel from the cellar of the house and was making his way across the lawn and caped. He gave up the wheel and was released.

—The flower mission of the W. C. T. U. will be conducted during the summer months and is under the direction of the Y branch. Miss Louise Iland and Miss Ida Gammon were appointed as a committee to take charge of the work. Flowers may be sent Thursday mornings to the home of Mrs. W. M. Lisle, Perkins street. With so many beautiful gardens in our midst it would seem that there would be no scarcity of flowers for the sick and suffering ones at the hospital.

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About one-fourth of an acre of land with a two-story frame dwelling house thereon, situated on Grove street in that part of Newton in said County of Middlesex, called Newton Lower Falls, being the same premises conveyed to William Clatworthy by Lemuel Cheshire by deed dated Feb. 4, 1888, recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Deeds, Book 1025, Page 495. The estate consists of a lot of land 62 feet wide on Grove street and about 380 feet deep, with Apples, Pears, Grapes, Currants, etc., in abundance. House has 10 rooms and finished attic, cellar three compartments. Within one fourth mile of steam and electric lines, churches, stores, etc.

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NEWTON HIGH GRADUATION.

EXERCISES IN ASSEMBLY HALL. TUESDAY MORNING MARK 39TH YEAR OF THE SCHOOL'S HISTORY.

One of the prettiest and most interesting graduations which Newton High school has witnessed for many years was given by the class of 1899 in the assembly hall of the school building last Tuesday morning. The hall was not over crowded this year, as all the seats were reserved and this fact contributed not a little to the success of the occasion. A large gathering of friends and parents were present and the alumni association was in evidence with about 100 members together with the officers. The platform was decorated with potted plants and ferns, and with the display of class colors made the scene one to be remembered. The graduating class assembled in the upper corridor and marched in, escorted by Mr. Arthur Wait of the junior class. The program went off very smoothly without delay, and every feature was heartily applauded. The piano duet by the Misses Kelley and Abbott was very well rendered and was received with great applause. Then followed the opening prayer by the Rev. Edward T. Sullivan of Newton Centre, and the response by the class quartet.

Miss Griffin's salutatory was very thoughtfully worked out and her happy rendering of it was appreciated by the audience. Mr. Stanwood Cobb's essay on "Beacon Light" was one of the strongest essays of the day. He cited great men who had carried out in their lives the principles and foundations of truth, and who had influenced to such a degree the people who had followed their teaching.

Mr. Donald W. Howes' paper upon "Combination and Trusts" was very interesting. He traced the growth of early families to tribes the tribes to confederacy and guilds, and their natural outgrowth into the present systems. He also gave a very clear idea of the present industrial trusts. All of the papers were worthy of mention, those of Miss Crowley and Miss Adams were especially interesting. Miss Crowley was very well qualified to write upon her subject, "Rudyard Kipling," and the different phases of his life and the different interpretations which she portrayed were very clever. Miss Adams' subject was a novel as well as treatment of it. She wrote of character of the Homeric women. Her paper was one of the best literary productions which has been done by any member of the class, and was characterized by its wit and its genuine feeling and accurate interpretation of every character. Miss Walton's essay on "The Influence of Uncle Tom's Cabin" was unique, and was exceedingly well written as was Miss Kirk's essay on "the life and work of Robert Burns." Miss Kirk caught the Scottish accent and this gave added interest to the paper. The class history was a most unique combination of interesting facts and was very entertaining. The class oration by Mr. Richard Chase Tolman was well written and his delivery was excellent. He received a most hearty applause from the audience. The music of the day, under the direction of Mr. Horace Walton, was a grand success. The class quartet and choruses were very well trained, and the solos by Mr. Wood and Miss Hollings were two of the best numbers on the program. The exercises closed with the singing of the class hymn after which the class colors were given to the officers of the battalion and the diplomas were distributed. Following the exercises a spread was given to the seniors by the members of the junior class in the drill hall.

ORDER OF EXERCISES.

Music, Piano Duet, Mazurka, Nevins
Florence Abbott, Elizabeth Kelley.
Prayer, by the Rev. Edward T. Sullivan.
Response, "O Heavenly Father, graciously hear us." Class Quartette. Holden
Salutatory, "Alice Gertrude Griffin, Literature in America." Nettie Hurley.
Beacon Light, "Stanwood Cobb." The Influence of Uncle Tom's Cabin, "Mary Adams." Vocal Solo, "The Fisher's Maiden," Meyerbeer. Mary Agnes Hollings.
Three Sonnets by William Shakespeare, Edgar Webb Leonard.
Robert Burns, "Sibella Kirk." Industrial Combinations—Past and Present, "Donald Winthrop Howes." Treatment of the Indians, "Florence Hastings Lovell." The Women of Homer, "Mary Della Adams." Vocal Solo—"The Doctor's Love Song," Conchols Theodore Wood.
Rudyard Kipling, "Adelaide Hammond Crowley." John Ruskin, "Elinor Tupper George." Class Oration, "Richard Chase Tolman." Music—Who knows what the bells say? Parker Class Quartette.
Class History, "Grace Rose Curtis." Class Hymn—Words by H. F. Greene, Music by Elizabeth M. Kelley. Presentation of Diplomas, "By Mr. T. B. Benner, Chairman of School Board." Benediction, "Selected to speak."

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Marjorie Carter, Hills
Adelaide Hammond, Harriet Frances Holden
Crawley
Madeline I. Brown, Mary Agnes Hollings
Lyon, Ruth Houston
Sadie Ingalls Gates, Ruth O'Brien Huestis
Elinor Tupper George, Nettie Hurley
Elizabeth Grayson, Elizabeth Monroe Kelley
Sibella Kirk, Irene Lennon
Harriet Soper Millard, Florence Hastings Lovell
Rosalind Morse, Elise Mary McMahon
Harriet Robie Parnell, Emma Mills
Lucia Maria Pictor, Adelaide Freeman Otis
Edith Rogers Spaulding, Estelle Blanche Sears
Katherine Cecilia Sullivan, Anastasia Maria Walton
Gertrude Adelaide, Grace Ambrose Whitmore
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Francis Agnes Fitzgerald, Chester David Hall
Bessie Edith Lowe, Grenville Brewer Macomber Jr.
Rose Madeline Sullivan, Daniel Laurence Whalen
Mary Elizabeth Walsh, Margaret Mary Whalen

CLASS HISTORY, 1899.

When the news was broken to me that I was to be class historian, I was almost overcome by surprise and an overwhelm-

ing consciousness of my ignorance of the subject. I hastened to read some old copies of the Review and see what was expected of me. I had heard that class histories were mostly all alike and I began to fear that mine would be no exception. I have tried to do my best however, and I now submit it to your judgment.

Four years ago the class of '95 Newton Grammar Schools met in the drill hall to celebrate the first great turning point of school life, their graduation. Our hearts beat fast, and how timidly we gazed at each other as we stood waiting to march in, and yet withal, how important we felt, for was not this the first step toward high school life of which we had had most marvelous and exciting visions?

And thus we graduated, and at last the summer wore away, and September came. With but a few days to go to school, in our bags and started off for school; but when we got there, how big the building looked and how small we felt as we stood timidly in our rooms, and rejoiced to find one whom we knew. Classmates of many. To be sure we had seen each other before, and were not total strangers as is often the case, but this was poor pall for feelings so cruelly wounded by the Sophomores, whom we soon learned to dread. And yet I fear that we did not learn much from our sufferings. Our feelings at the time remind me of the little boy who, with his heart filled with rage because his father had found it expedient to correct him, said, "Wait 'til I am a man and have a little boy of my own." When asked why, he replied, "So I can take it out on him."

At last it was over and we departed at the end of that notable first day, having borne up under its trials as Freshmen-always have, and probably always will, finding that we were accepted members of that awe-inspiring Newton High School.

Soon the days and weeks began to pass and we began to learn many new and wonderful things, not only at lessons and drill, but at various odd moments, as when the girls of Room 11 discovered that the best-laid schemes of mice and men gang at a tie.

So the year passed and September came again, and we were no longer timid Freshmen, but proud and unfeeling Sophomores.

We were quite surprised to find that there were other strong men and women in the world. During this third year we sustained a severe loss in the death of Mr. Chandler, a most valuable and considerate teacher, who will be fondly remembered by all who knew him.

In the fall of this year another club was formed, this time by the boys. It was named the "P. B. and they chose the appropriate motto, "Of the boys, by the boys, for the boys." It was a most successful club, and they seem to have succeeded in realizing to the utmost.

Declamation commenced this autumn and the male novices asked nicely, if they strove to control their trembling limbs. Breathes there a man with soul so dead? We soon became used to it and enjoyed the hour very much, particularly when we were not the person on the platform.

With the New Year we entered our new building. Some of the rooms were not yet fitted up, but this rather added to the interest. The library, which did not then have the furnishings, was found by a few of the juniors to be an excellent place for study.

Soon '98 graduated and left with us the responsibility of a Senior class. We were ambitious not to be outdone by any former class if we could possibly help it, and greatly bound by precedent. We immediately organized the various athletic teams, started the Review, and looked about for worthy competitors. We have been successful socially. The Review Party and the Reception, the latter held in Temple hall, according to a recently established precedent, were both pretty good.

The entertainments given by the club will be happily remembered by the entertained.

The drills have been a success in every way, both as an exhibition of work, and from a financial standpoint. Through the efforts of one of our instructors, we have had the rare treat of hearing one of the famous men of our day, Senator Hoar.

Throughout our school life we have shown an inexplicable attachment to members of the rodent tribe, if anything can be judged from the numbers who have continued themselves with our history since we first came to this school.

During this last year our class has shown hitherto undreamed of characteristics, such as a tendency on the part of certain pupils to become gnomes, which they manifested by a balloon ascension. Many of the members of the class have developed a strange hunger, not only for knowledge, but for good substantial food. This has been shown chiefly in the desire to eat between meals and at most inopportune moments, a trait not uncommon in small children, but seldom ascribed to those of larger growth. This we will excuse, however, as their unusual amount of brain work may have rendered it necessary, and we can say for those in Room 24 that they were just as good as pie. As a result, many have found the office a good place for undisturbed study and quiet contemplation.

But these things are over now, they lie in the past and we must look forward. We stand before a curtain, behind which lie our paths; we may go different ways, but as we re-unite, as I hope we shall, if we miss familiar faces, may we feel that they were with us in thought and that whatever may be the duty that presents, they are living up to the best that is in them. Our school should have a history worthy of its best children. Doctor Arnold expresses what we should all feel, when he says, "It seems to me that there is, or ought to be something very ennobling in being connected with any establishment at once ancient and magnificent, where all about us, and the traditions belong to the objects around us should be great, splendid, elevating. Whatever is done here, well and honorably, outlives its own generation—the size, the scale, the weight of a great institution like this insures its permanency, as far as anything on earth can be permanent. The good and the evil, the nobleness and the villainous that may exist in this school, will live and be remembered here in the days of our children, they will form the atmosphere in which they will live hereafter, either wholesome and invigorating, or numbing and dead."

GRACE ROSE CURTIS.

THE CLASS ORATION.

Standing as we do on the threshold of new interests and new experiences, we look back on these last four years of our school life, and we are able even now to see of how great value they have been to us. Not only in our studies have we gained power and strength, but our athletics, our connection with the High school paper and with the yearbook, our drill and our gymnastics, all have contributed to that readiness of action, clearness of thought and sincerity of purpose so necessary to one who wishes to be successful in that larger school—Life.

This last year we have been so occupied with our studies, our athletics and our social life that we have hardly stopped to consider that in the next generation it is we who are to do the world's work. Although it would not be well for us to be continually impressed with a sense of our importance, still we do well to stop at times and regard our duties and our opportunities. No time is better than now for a few thoughts on our responsibilities as students and citizens.

At a time when our army and navy have been so recently engaged in conflict with a foreign enemy, the thought of patriotism is ever present in our minds. The same spirit that prompts the small boy to uncover his head as he passes down the street, in a grander form inspires the soldier to give his life in the defense of his country, and fills the heart and mind of the statesman, who in a less dramatic way gives his life to his fellow-men. But the love of country is not limited to the statesman or the soldier; it is the common birth-right of all mankind. Let us be careful lest we make the mistake of thinking that we who are to be citizens of a great nation of crises. It directs the citizen when he marks his ballot, and it inspires the teacher when he shows us principles of good government and good citizenship, when he trains tastes and creates ideals.

Our nation is now confronted with grave and serious problems. In the next century it will need the wisest and best in its support, and it is our duty and privilege to give this support.

The duties of a citizen of this republic should appeal to the heart and head of every loyal American. We should all have personal interest in the affairs of our country; it is we who are to determine the character of our state and city policies; and it is we who are to decide whether our foreign policy is one to be pursued in the interests of civilization or whether it is to be directed by a love of power and a greed for territory.

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99'S CLASS PARTY.

THE WINDING UP OF THE SOCIAL PART OF THEIR SCHOOL LIFE.

Under festoons of gaily colored lanterns and bunting the graduating class of Newton High school enjoyed their farewell party upon the spacious grounds of Mr. Frank Howes' residence at Newton, Tuesday evening. The occasion proved to be the most enjoyable social event of the year, and in spite of the hard hits of the class prophet, every one was highly satisfied with its success. The affair took the form of an informal reception, and the guests were presented to the matrons by the ushers. After a social hour the class assembled indoors and listened to reading of the class-day parts, the prophecy, the poem, the history and the statistics. A new feature was introduced by Mr. Howes in the toasts, which were drunk to the various teams and clubs. Miss Grace Curtis first read the history, after which the poem was read by Mr. Harold Greene. Several toasts were then proposed to the foot ball team by Miss Proctor, the officers of the girls' battalion, by Mr. Logan, and most important of all, the poem in honor of the officers of the boys' battalion, by Major Spaulding of the girls' battalion. Miss Marjorie Carter's tribute to the boys in general was rather doubtful, as if she was rather incredulous of the large stories which she had heard in regard to certain occasions and circumstances, especially those "Smoke talks." Mr. Leonard paid a rather touching tribute to the girls, which gave one the idea that he was used to that sort of thing. The toasts were drunk to every team, club and organization in the school, and two or three more "bumpers" to themselves. Mr. Ferris was introduced by the "Senator from Waban" kept the class in the best of humor while he remarked upon the various peculiarities of the class as a whole, emphasizing especially Mr. Cobb's mustache, the maid who enjoys "those quiet games," and hints to Miss L. on the buggy question.

Although Mr. Ferris used little discrimination and scattered his "Call-downs" liberally, many accounts of the party were prepared for the attack which "The Reverend E. P. Seigler" directed against each member. One retiring and bashful maid, reared on educators, whose photographs are at a demand, was principal of a school for young men. To avoid any danger in the photographic line she had her picture taken in an out of the way corner, and by application of the camera she was permitted to view the charming portrait. Some don't need the permit, by the way. As in the previous paper Mr. Cobb came in for his share of the fun, and by his attempt to convert the inhabitants of the Fiji Islands he was converted into a savory stew.

"Foot" Leonard was living in the luxurious and inspiring realm of idlers and was free from all earthly cares, such as "Reviews," etc. Bond and Cunningham were meeting with great success in the vaudeville line. Davis was manager and editor of the "Calcutta Daily News," which was a success, and it is interesting to note that even in undeveloped form the Newton High school bulletin contains the germs which will surely grow into great generals and awe-inspiring leaders of the future.

The falling of the class members had been decried by Mr. Sand, not one which he did not see failed to be presumed. After the class exercises had been given, the class officers for the coming year were chosen. President, Mr. Leonard; vice-president, Miss Hollings; secretary, Miss Griffin; treasurer, Mr. Davis. Dancing was enjoyed until late hours with frequent songs by Mr. Cunningham and fancy dances by Mr. Bond. Music was furnished by an orchestra. The party finally broke up, sadly and reluctantly, and the class party of 1899 will go down in the school traditions as a distinctive success.

The class poem by Harold F. Greene was as follows:

With every new day newness we find
Transcendence of some fond dream,
What we have worked for seems to be the best,
The brightest gem cherished above the rest.
Though all along the joyous path, our eyes
Looked toward the goal and fondly sought the prize.

That small shell from ocean's boundless store
No happier day can crown our boyish life
Our first victory, our first day of strife
Hope urged us on, when fear midway was sad,
Ambition conquered, love has made us glad.
But we did not know that each new day
Armed us again, and strengthened for the race.
Behind a colored screen dim future stands
And beckons us to come with out-stretched hands.

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LIST OF NEW BOOKS.

- Awdry, Mrs. W. Early Chapters in Science; ed. by W. F. Barrett. 103.756
- Bangs, John Kendrick. The Dreamers, a Club; being a more or less Faithful Account of the Literary Exercises of the first Regular Meeting of that Organization. 61.1250
- Barber, Edwin Allen. Anglo-American Pottery: Old English China with American Views; a Manual for Collectors. 104.625
- Bemis, Edward W. Municipal Monopolies: a Collection of Papers by American Economists and Specialists. 82.231
- Besant, Walter. The Pen and the Book. 53.624
- Written for those thinking of the Literary Life. The author presents first a general view of the Literary Life, next the requirements of each branch, and thirdly, the facts relating to the meaning and value of literary property.
- Binet, Alfred. The Psychology of Reasoning; based on Experimental Researches in Hypnotism. 103.757
- Brown, Alice. Twelve stories of rural New England life. 55.1017
- Dinwiddie, William. Puerto Rico: its Conditions and Possibilities. 34.475
- A presentation of the industrial, commercial, political and social conditions of the island, intended to give a comprehensive grasp of the administrative problems which confront us, and the possibilities for American business enterprises.
- Fuller, Caroline M. Across the Campus: a Story of College Life. 65.1011
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Newton C. E. Union.

A goodly number of the Newton Christian Endeavor Union met at Otis Wharf, Boston, last Saturday afternoon on pleasure bent and a moonlight excursion. The "City of Quincy" had been chartered and the president of the union, Mr. J. Luther Roll, was early at the landing place with a pleasant word and a warm handshake for every one, and much of the pleasure of the trip was due to his unfailing kindness.

The trip little boat steamed out by Boston Light-house to Boston Light when lunch boxes were opened and the utmost good fellowship prevailed of course. Thence a sail boat from the South Shore to Nantasket and along by Pemberton and Hull, coming to Castle Island and returning to the wharf. Conundrums and a photograph added sociability for all. The Union was really in quest of the moonlight first and a good time afterwards, but somehow, the good time came first, and the moonlight appeared later, two or three nights in fact.

Everyone pronounced it a success, and said another such occasion would find him there.

Vesper Wins by Many Holes.

The West Newton and Vesper Country Club golf teams had an 18-hole match at Tyng's Island, Lowell, last Saturday afternoon, and although the West Newtons played well, the Vespers finished with 11 holes to the good.

WEST NEWTON.	Holes	WEST NEWTON.	Holes
Kewes	10	Green	9
Bowers	2	Balley	9
Goggin	2	J. Kidder	9
Butterfield	1	Gilbert	9
Palge	0	E. H. Kidder	4
Stratton	7	Byers	0
Totals	45	Totals	4

OUR LADY'S SCHOOL.

CLOSING EXERCISES HELD LAST EVENING IN THE ASSEMBLY HALL—MANY FRIENDS AND RELATIVES ENJOY AN EXCELLENT PROGRAM.

Exercises attending the close of the school year at the parochial school of the Church of Our Lady on Washington street, Newton, were held last evening and attended by an audience of relatives and friends that completely tested the seating capacity of the assembly hall.

With a program made up of many interesting numbers the results and accomplishments of the past year's work were shown in a manner reflecting credit upon both pupils and teachers, and calling forth unlimited admiration and applause. Appropriate decorations adorned the hall, adding much to its natural attractiveness. Flowers and plants, together with flags and bunting, formed the principal features of ornamentation.

The order of exercises included musical selections, chorus singing, recitations, tableaux and the valedictory. The latter was delivered by Miss Mary Coady.

PROGRAM.

Chorus, "Come to the Beaming Fields," Kinkel
Recitation, "The King's Ruler," Tilton
Recitation, "Money Musk," Taylor
Gymnastic Drill, Miss Sarah Leonard.
Recitation, "The Boy's Boy,"
Recitation, "The Royal Bowman," Miss Margaret O'Neil.
Overture, "Call of Bagdad," Boieldieu
Recitation, "William's Watermelon,"
Waltz Song, Junior Girls
Recitation, "The Pathway of Gold," Greene
Pantomime, "Woman's Curiosity,"
CHARACTERS:
Miss Fortunate, Mary Coady
A Generous Brother, John Keren
Miss Mischief, a friend, Margaret Murphy
Recitation, "Brier Rose," Boyson
March, "Nous Allons," Herz
Recitation, "The Glory of the Flag," Edgerly
William P. Brennan
Expressive Action in Pictures, "Calling the Ferryman," Looking, Beckoning, Calling, Listening, Seeing, Waving, Approaching.
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"Gossip," "Execution of Queen Mary," "Coronation of Josephine," "Death of Elizabeth," "Driven from Home," "Forgiveness," "The Fire," "False Alarm," "Twilight Chimes," "Lover's Oath," "Hamlet's Oath,"
Violin Solo, Miss Amy Rockett, Freising
Valedictory, Miss Mary Coady.
Miss Anna Briston, Accompanist.

Following is the list of graduates in the high and grammar schools:

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ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE NEWTON THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.

At a meeting of the board of trustees of the Newton Theological Institute Monday noon, in Tremont Temple, the Hon. W. A. Munroe presiding, the Rev. Dr. Nathan E. Wood, pastor of the Commonwealth Avenue Baptist church, Boston, was elected president of the institute.

Dr. Wood will also be professor of theology.

It was decided by the board to erect on the grounds of the institution a new residence for the president.

Dr. Wood was born at Forestville, N. Y., in 1849, and comes from a distinguished clerical family. His father, the Rev. Nathan Wood, was widely known in New York and Wisconsin. Mr. Wood fitted for college at Wayland Academy, Wisconsin, and subsequently graduated from the University of Chicago in 1872, and from the Baptist Theological Seminary in 1875. He then organized the Central Baptist church of Chicago from a mission, and in two years received 200 members in the society and built a chapel.

His next important position was that of principal of the Wayland Academy, where he remained for over six years. He then became pastor of the Memorial Baptist church of Chicago, and three years later went to Brooklyn to take charge of the Strong Place Baptist church.

He came to Brooklyn 10 years later. In the summer of 1884 he accepted the pastorate of the Commonwealth Avenue Baptist church. He preached his first sermon there Sept. 30 of that year.

Dr. Wood has been chairman of the American Baptist Home Missionary Society for five years, and was chairman of the American Baptist Educational Society for four years while in New York. He is a member of the executive committee of the Baptist Foreign Missionary Society of Boston, a trustee of Vassar College, Colgate University and the Newton Theological Institution.

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LOOKS LIKE TWAIN.

THE FAMOUS HUMORIST HAS A DOUBLE IN KANSAS.

His Name Is Clemens, Too, and the Britishers Once Made Life Miserable For Him by Insisting That He Was the Real and Only Mark.

Mark Twain has a double and the double doesn't like it a bit. As for Mark, no one knows that he craves—in fact, it is rather uncertain whether the great Mark knows of it. The double has Mark's own name, Clemens, with the prefixed initials of G. C. He is a Kansas socialist—a lawyer by trade—and as he bears a striking resemblance to the real thing, he is often taken for it, in America and abroad. People say that they are cousins, and the socialist has to deny it every other day. He went to Europe years ago, and people there dined and wined him, believing that they had the real old stuff with them. The more he tried to explain that it was all a mistake on their part, and the madder that he got, the more tickled they were.

"Oh, Mr. Twain," they said, "you are so funny! Now we see through it all, and you can't conceal your identity from us."

This is what Mr. Clemens of Kansas says when "joshed" by his friends upon his great relation: "I understand that Mark Twain is a man of good natured ability, and had he turned his attention to some proper pursuit, he doubtless would have made his way in the world, stood well in society and perhaps have been mayor of his city and perhaps governor of some western state. But he got the notion into his head that he could write and throw away his chances to win immortality by appointing policemen and notaries public. He took to writing books ever after he must have known the whole world was laughing over his literary effusions. He chose his career without consulting me, and if he is disappointed with the result let him look to it and not be saddling himself upon me by claiming kinship. I am in no condition to stand any foolishness. I have hard work to get credit at my grocers' now."

In the year of the Russo-Turkish war this Kansas Clemens went to Europe to try his luck as a war correspondent. It does not bear on this story, but it may be of interest to add that he never got a chance to show his prowess in the line of war correspondence. Possibly his reputation was enhanced by this absence of opportunity. Anyway, Fourth of July of that year found G. C. Clemens on shipboard crossing the Atlantic. Already he had been taken to be the only Mark, in spite of all his statements to the contrary. He made a little speech at the Independence day celebration, but the main address of the day was made by some unknown who bore the title of colonel. Clemens having been chosen press agent, upon his arrival in Glasgow, he took the colonel's speech to the office of a newspaper to have it printed, with a report of the proceedings. He sent his card to the editor, and on leaving said to the editor: "If you leave out anything, leave out my own speech. If you print anything and leave out the colonel's speech, I can't stay here and be safe." The next day the city was placarded with such poster announcements as this:

Mark Twain on the Old Country.

Clemens got a copy of the paper, and there was the colonel's speech, to be sure, but his own led the story. Clemens tried all sorts of arguments to prove that he wasn't Mark Twain, but all the editor said was, "If you want to travel incognito, it's all very well, but I cannot and will not tell my readers that the speech that I have published as yours is not your own."

That night Clemens went to the theater with some of his steamer friends, and greatly to their amusement Mark Twain gags were thrown at him from the stage. The next day crowds of people came to his hotel for his signature. He wrote his own honest name in their albums, and they departed happy.

He began to be afraid that if the real Mark Twain showed up anywhere he—the Kansas man—would be denounced as an impostor. So he fled to London and went to the Inns of Court hotel. In the next morning's paper he saw the announcement, "Mark Twain at the Inns of Court hotel." Now the Kansas man felt really good, because he had made up his mind to go to the real Mark and tell him all about it. So he asked the clerk for information about Twain, and he discovered again that he himself was the Mark talked of. He was thrown off his feet by this statement, but he had self possession enough to skip to Paris. While there a letter came to him from the Glasgow editor, asking him to come at once to Glasgow. Thinking that the truth at last was being published, he returned and found that the editor wanted to submit to him a business proposition. The editor was to print anything that Clemens might choose to write denying that he was Mark Twain, and then pay Clemens well for traveling over Scotland and write up "on the American plan." Clemens was to be himself and no one else, and he was to get big pay for being honest. This looked like a profitable and legitimate scheme, and Clemens wrote the letter denying his identity with Mark Twain, and then started off on his tour. But when he got to the next town he found that his letter as published had preceded him. Worse than that, it was accepted as only one of the "Mark Twain's things."

"What's the use," said Clemens to himself, "of a poor devil trying to be honest in such a country as this?" So he prepared to return to his own Kansas, where at least he was what he was. But he couldn't make a fly by night trip, so it came to pass when he was on the ship that he was placed at the captain's right at the table, and for 11 long days he had to eat Mark Twain food and drink Mark Twain drinks. Kind ladies got down Mark's books from the ship's library, and Clemens had to give readings from "The Jumping Frog" and other of his "own works." He lost his suspender buttons and collar buttons, which were taken from him as souvenirs, and as soon as he reached New York he rushed off to the land where he was known for what he was.—New York Press.

Prying on Human Weakness.

"How in the world did you manage to sell that lot of vile cigars at such a good price?" asked the proprietor.
"S-sh!" returned the clerk cautiously.
"I told the man they were smuggled, and he never asked another question."—Chicago Post.

There are seven continental countries which entire population is respectively either below or not in excess of the present estimated population of London: Sweden, Norway, Turkey in Europe, Denmark, Portugal, Greece and Holland.

THE PHILIPPINE CASE.

AN INTERESTING AND CONCLUSIVE REVIEW BY PROF. HENRY WINTHROP HARDEN.

Mr. Henry Winthrop Harden, formerly of this city, has resigned his position as professor of law at Columbia College, and resumed the general practice of law at 56 Wall street, New York.

Prof. Harden recently delivered an address on "The Philippine Case" before the Twentieth Century Club, of Brooklyn, which has been printed in pamphlet form. Prof. Harden considers the question from a legal standpoint, and quotes from many authorities besides from our own history hitherto, showing that we have no legal right in the Philippines, that Spain told us what she did not possess, and that if our government had taken a middle course, instead of attempting to forcibly annex the islands, all trouble would have been avoided. We did not try to annex Mexico after our war with that country, and no one doubts that the Mexicans have made better progress under their own government than they would under anything that we would have given them. Prof. Harden closes his very clear and convincing address by saying:

"There was an obvious middle course of action open to the Administration which would have been welcomed by the Filipinos, which would have left them free to manage their own affairs and would have saved them from foreign aggression, which would have prevented the present war and saved the loss of American life and the enormous waste of treasure which is now going on and is likely to continue for some time to come, which would have relieved us of the serious constitutional difficulties attending annexation which now present themselves and which are now likely to have. And that course was to declare a protectorate over the islands. This solution of all our difficulties was entirely open to the President and the Peace Commissioners.

There is no time to go into the reasons why this course was not adopted further than to say that it appears to be due to the form of government under which we are now living—a government, as has been said, not by popular opinion but by newspaper opinion. However this may be, our present position is clearly not due to inevitable necessity as the result of Dewey's victory, and until the persons who are responsible for our position or defend it make out a prima facie case of inevitable necessity by arguments which I have yet seen it is unnecessary to indulge in speculation about the reasons which they may advance, or to present the arguments to sustain them. It is enough to say that they do not sustain the burden of supporting the action of the Administration by a mere allegation of inevitable necessity.

As for the cure for our troubles, that seems to be clear from what has been said already. Persistence in wrong doing does not make the wrong right.

The Administration has the power to stop this war at once, and the United States could suffer no loss of reputation in adopting now a course consistent with law and morals and its own practice towards the South American Republics in welcoming the latest republic into the family of nations and protecting it against foreign interference if it will still have our protection rather than protection from England, such as she now exercises with the United States in North Borneo and over the Malay states of the Malacca Peninsula.

VERMONT'S HILLS AND VALLEYS.

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Vermont is nothing but hills and valleys. This makes it rather hard for the farmer, but fine for the summer visitor. The farmer finds it rather difficult to plough up the side of a perpendicular hill, but the summer boarder thinks that to lie on the side of that hill in the summer sun is the most delightful way of passing the time. So the farmer opens his house in the summer, provides convenient hillside for the boarder to lie on and in the fall finds that he is just about as well off as if he had spent the summer ploughing.

The Green Mountains furnish some of the very best of our summer country and as the Green Mountains and Vermont are practically co-terminous it follows that all Vermont is a summer resort. And such is the case. The Central Vermont Railway, the scenic Green Mountain line, which furnishes the principal routes to Vermont from Boston and New England, in fact, publishes a handsomely illustrated summer book of nearly 200 pages. "Among the Green Hills," which gives a picturesque description of all the mountain resorts, the Lake Champlain region and other spots where cool breezes blow to clear the cobwebs from weary brains. To those undecided about vacation this book will help to settle the question at once, and in favor of Vermont. A four-cent stamp enclosed to S. W. Cummings, G. P. A., St. Albans, Vt., or T. H. Hanley, N. E. P. A., 194 Washington St., Boston, will secure the book.

To Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass.

[LETTER TO MRS. PINKHAM NO. 41,207]

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Lynn A. Ross to Jared Whitman and James F. C. Hyde, Trustees under the will of George Hyde, late of Newton, deceased, dated April 30th, 1896 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds Book 2459, Page 288, for breach of the conditions therein contained and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises on Monday the twenty-fourth day of July, 1899 at four o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:—A certain parcel of land, situated in that part of said Newton called Newton Highlands and being Lot "C" on a "Plan of Rockledge, Newton Highlands, Mass., for Bowker & Wills, Trustees," drawn by C. E. C. Brock, dated January 1896 and duly recorded and bounded as follows, viz:—

Not easterly by Lodge Road, eighty eight and 44-100 (88-44) feet; southerly by lot marked "D" on said plan, one hundred sixteen (116) feet; westerly by lot marked "H" on said plan, thirty-two (32) feet; northerly by lot marked "C" on said plan, eighty-seven and 38-100 (87-38) feet; containing 7163 square feet of land, more or less, and a right of drainage within five feet of the southeasterly line thereof.

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NEWTON CENTRE.

—Buy fireworks, Tainter's. Boston prices. —Mr. Harland Cate of Haverhill is here the guest of relatives.

—W. F. Woodman has returned from a week's fishing trip in N. H.

—The Newton Centre Dram corps paraded last evening in Boston.

—Mr. Roger Gardiner of Summer street is home from Colgate Academy.

—Miss Emma Giles of Parker street is in Sharon for a few days this week.

—Mr. I. R. Stevens and family are at Buzzard's Bay for the summer.

—Miss Laura Merrill is on a visit to her brother, Dr. Merrill of Lawrence.

—Mr. H. G. Chase of Cypress street is in Nova Scotia enjoying a fishing trip.

—Mr. Lawson and family of Chase street leave this week for their summer vacation.

—Mr. C. E. Hasbrook and family are at Beachwood, Me., for the summer months.

—Mr. H. Matthews and family of Centre street are away for an extended summer's outing.

—Col. E. H. Haskell and family are at Lake Sunapee, N. H., for July and August.

—Mrs. Lucy Fogg of Zanesville, Ohio, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Holden, of Braintree avenue.

—Mrs. J. M. Pinkham of Moreland avenue is now slowly recovering from a long and painful illness.

—Miss Annie Hurley of Boylston street has entered the Cursey Hospital Training school at So. Boston.

—Mr. A. A. Tilney and family have closed their residence on Devon road for the summer months.

—Mr. Stephen Green and family of Centre street are at Lake Winnepesaukee for the summer months.

—Mrs. Wingerky of Boston is enjoying an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. Huse of Knowles street.

—The Newton Co-operative Bank will not open Tuesday, July 4th. Dues may be paid Wednesday, the 5th.

—Mrs. Pope and Mrs. Curtis, sisters of Mrs. Hills, who have been at the Pelham house for nearly a year, have gone to Leominster for several months.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Bemis, who are occupying the Merrill house at Chestnut Hill, are to spend July at Lake George.

—A celebration under the auspices of the N. H. I. A. will be held in the grove on Crystal Lake on Saturday afternoon and evening.

—Cards are out for the marriage of Miss Fannie L. Leonard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Leonard of Paul street, to Mr. J. Frank Biedose.

—The funeral of Mrs. Van Kirk, who died at Rockland, Me., on Monday, was held yesterday from the residence of her mother, Mrs. George Warren of Sumner street.

—Hon. A. L. Harwood of Beacon street delivered an interesting address at the graduating exercises of the Wade school at Newton Upper Falls on Tuesday evening. Just twenty-one years ago Mr. Harwood was principal of the Wade school.

—The big iron bell, which formerly called the worshippers to the First Baptist church, and which was succeeded by the 10-bell chime, has now to serve the members of the Methodist Episcopal church in the same capacity. This week the bell was placed in the belfry of the Methodist church.

—Miss Florence M. Cutting daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cutting of Langley road, and Mr. Stanley E. Knowles of Roxbury were married Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents. The ceremony was performed by Rev. George H. Spencer, pastor of the Methodist church. Mr. and Mrs. Knowles will spend their honeymoon in Nova Scotia and upon their return will reside in Roxbury.

—About midnight last Saturday, car 9 of the Commonwealth avenue street railway left the rails on Paul street, causing considerable damage before it was brought to a stop. Crossing the sidewalk, the car collided with a tree and crashed into a stone wall in front of the Luther Paul estate. The street and sidewalk were considerably torn up, and the front car badly damaged. When asked about the accident by a reporter Sunday evening, Supt. Smith of the Commonwealth avenue street railway, declared he had not heard of it before.

—Dr. E. Y. Mullins of the First Baptist church, was yesterday unanimously elected to the presidency of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville, to succeed Dr. Whitsett, resigned. Although pastor of a church in New England, Dr. Mullins is a native of Mississippi, and it was not until the past few years that he was called to Massachusetts. He was at one time pastor of Lee street Baptist church, Baltimore, and has been associate corresponding secretary of the foreign mission board of the southern Baptist convention.

—The 4th in Newton Centre—The events of the day under the auspices of the Newton Centre Improvement Association promise to be of unusual interest. In the Literary and Musical celebration will be held in Bray's hall. The American Watch Co. Band will furnish the music. A large chorus of school children will sing patriotic songs. Rev. A. A. Berle of Brighton will give the address. This promises to be a notable occasion and it is hoped that the capacity of the hall will be filled. At 7 p. m. Crystal Lake.

—"Swimming Race," "Tub Race," "Tip over Canoe Race," and "Tilting-Canoe contest" will take place together with a band concert by the American Watch Co. Band, the whole to be ended with a grand display of fireworks on the lake at 9 o'clock.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—Buy fireworks, Tainter's. Boston prices.

—Mr. Stanwood Cobb of Elliot Heights has left for a summer trip.

—Miss Florence Hardwick has as her guest, Miss Fremont of California.

—Mr. E. H. Corey, Jr., is building an addition to his greenhouse on Floral avenue.

—Mr. John Glover and family left last week for their summer home at Long Island, N. H.

—Mrs. Casson and son of Elliot have gone to West Ossipee, and Mr. and Mrs. Snow to Hampton Beach.

—Rev. C. H. Daniels, D. D., of Newton will give an address in the Congregational church next Sunday evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

—Mrs. E. Moulton has returned from Kennebunkport, where she went to accompany her mother, who will spend the summer there.

—The "Grand Summer Fete," announced to take place on Saturday afternoon and evening, under the auspices of the Newton Highlands Improvement Association, deserves to be liberally patronized by our people as an encouragement to the association for the continuance of their work. Many attractive features are announced for the entertainment and amusement of those who

attend. Refreshments will be for sale. Be sure and go.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Morse of Allerton road are away for a while.

—Among the honorary degrees distributed at the commencement season, is one of Master of Arts conferred by Beloit College upon Dr. S. L. Eaton.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moore have gone on a bicycle trip to the mountains, and will return by way of Portland, making a distance of about three hundred miles.

—Mr. W. B. Page and son, Percy W. Page, sailed last Saturday on S. S. Chicago from Boston for England for a pleasure trip. They expect to return Aug. 15.

—The "Evening with Watts and His Hymns" last Sunday evening at the Methodist church, was so successful that it will be followed by others of a similar nature, during July.

—Mr. J. J. Smith of Bradford road is having a house built on same road. Mr. L. Fogg, who has lately rented the Bacon estate on Lincoln street, is doing the carpenter work.

—Tyler Clark, who has had his home with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Greenwood for the past two or three months, and attending the Hyde school, has gone to his summer home at Windemere.

—The H. Ross estate on Montfort road, which was rented for several years to Mr. J. P. Estabrook, has been sold to a Mr. Clark of Newton Centre, through the agency of J. L. Nason & Co.

—Athletic sports will be one of the attractions on July 4th, and in the morning at 9 o'clock, on the ball grounds on Lincoln street, there will be a lively contest for superiority in the various games.

—The house on Walnut street, for many years occupied by Dr. Deane, has been rented to Mr. E. E. Morgan of Boston, through Greenwood's Real Estate Agency, who will occupy it the latter part of July.

—At the Methodist church next Sunday morning, there will be a short sermon by the pastor, followed by reception of members and the Lord's Supper. In the evening there will be a service of an hour only, with praise service and sermon.

—The building on Boylston street near the railroad bridge, owned and occupied by Mr. W. B. McMullin for a carpenter shop, is being removed to the rear part of his estate on Cook street. This building was formerly the passenger station at the Highlands.

—Mr. Norman Hartwell, assistant station agent at Eliot, will give up his position there and will go to a farm at Ashland. Much regret is manifested that he is to leave the Highlands, as he is held in high estimation, but for the benefit of his health he has decided to do so.

—The Traveller's Club gave to their friends a very pleasing entertainment on Thursday evening last week in the grove in the rear of Mrs. Wm. Peirce's home on Boylston street. Mrs. Peirce, with Miss Stuntz, the president of the club, received about 200 guests, who formed a very appreciative audience. The play was entitled "Which William," and was written by one of the club. Nearly all the members took part in the performance and they were very kindly assisted by Miss Jessie Palmer, Mrs. Roxanna Sabin, Mr. Darius Cobb, Miss Edith Cobb, Mr. Jas. Hemphill and Mr. Walter Randall. The woods for the night were pretty background for the stage, and in the gypsy camp red lights added beauty to the scene. The author was Marguerite D. Allen, and the manager Walter T. Steyer. The cast: Amelia Hunter, Marguerite D. Allen; Caroline, cousin to Amelia, Jessie Palmer; Mrs. Drusilla Lawrence, mother to Caroline, Cora S. Cobb; Gypsy father, Ethel W. Sabin; Gypsy mother, Stella A. Converse; Gypsy mother, Mrs. Roxanna Sabin; Gypsy girls, K. Marjorie Goodwin, Estelle M. Cobb, Edith Cobb; Edgar Williston, in love with Amelia, Walter T. Steyer; Wm. Dabney, in love with Caroline, Sanford E. Thompson; Wm. Courtney, rising author, William S. Jones; William, the butler, Ralph E. Sawyer; Gypsy father, Darius Cobb; Gypsy mother, L. W. Sabin; Jas. Hemphill, Walter Randall. Acts I, II, IV, Scene a garden. Act III, Scene, a Gypsy camp.

NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—Mrs. Abbott of High street has returned from Concord, N. H.

—The I. M. V. T. baseball team will play a match game at Needham on July 4th.

—Mr. Newell Tucker of High street has returned from a business trip in New York.

—A board meeting of the Methodist church was held in the vestry on Monday evening.

—The services at the Methodist church on Sunday evenings will be held in the vestry during the warm weather.

—The funeral of Mr. John Holmes of Boston, a son of Mrs. Holmes of Spring street, was held on Wednesday.

—The N. U. F. A. baseball team defeated the Waltham nine on Saturday afternoon on Dudley's field. Score 11 to 10.

—A picnic by an outside party was held in Hemlock gorge on Saturday, the party coming and going on the electric cars.

—The ball game on the Elliot street grounds, on Saturday afternoon between the I. M. V. T. and the Highland A. C. of Roxbury was won by the I. M. V. T. Score 10 to 8.

—Edmund D. Daly of this place is this year a graduate of Boston college. At the annual commencement exercises held in the Tremont theatre, Boston, Wednesday evening, he read an essay on "Christian Science and Philosophy."

—For greater convenience to my patrons, I desire to announce that all calls for my services may be left with Mr. John W. V. Voe, at High street, who will deliver them to me with the greatest possible dispatch. Respectfully, HENRY F. CATE. 16tf

—On Monday evening, at 7:45 o'clock, in the Methodist church the Y. P. S. C. E. will hold a public meeting. Rev. Francis E. Clark of Amherst, Mass., and president of the Christian Endeavor movement, will deliver an address on "Our Duties in Relation to Our New Possessions," and will speak particularly to young people as to how they can help advance Christian work in these countries. There will also be music by out-of-town talent, and it is expected that delegates from all the different Y. P. S. C. E. societies in Newton and vicinity.

WABAN.

—Nearly all the students of Waban school have departed for their homes.

—Officer Henry Tibbetts has returned from his trip to Maine, and again taken up his official duties.

—Mr. Charles E. Fish, former principal of the Waban school, is removing his furniture to Poughkeepsie, New York.

—Principal J. H. Pillsbury of the Waban school, and family, leave for Maine today, where he will conduct a summer school.

—Mrs. T. B. Vales, Jr., and family have been visiting her father's family, Mr. Wm. V. Voe, at his cottage at Standish Shore, So. Duxbury.

—All deeply sympathize with Mr. G. M. Angier in the loss of his mother, who passed away at Brookline, Wednesday night. She was an amiable lady, and often visited her son at his home here.

—For greater convenience to my patrons I desire to announce that all calls for my services may be transmitted to me by public telephone from Waban drug store at my expense. Respectfully, Henry F. Cate. 16tf

CLOSE OF ACTIVE YEAR.

PROGRAMS OF THOSE EXERCISES WHICH ATTENDED THE GRADUATION OF SOME OF THE GRAMMAR SCHOOLS.

Programs of a varied and interesting nature were presented by the scholars at the various grammar schools of Newton during the week. As is customary, the exercises were held in the hall of the school building, and largely attended by relatives and friends of the pupils. Among those given with much success were the following:

Peirce School.
TUESDAY, JUNE 27, 1899, at 7:45 P. M.

Patriotic Chorus, The Nation's Hymn of Praise
A Short Walk in the Field of Literature.
Drama C. Dodge
Class Reading, The Music Box
Mabel P. Tyler
Music, Stars of the Summer Night.

Our Class—What we were, Kenneth Wilson
What we hope to be, William V. T. Brown
Song, When up the Mountain
Music, Sanctus.
The Minnet, Hattie F. Seaver
Violin Accompaniment, Harold Mayo.
Address, Hon. John L. Bates
Chorus, Day of Glory.
Awarding of Diplomas.
Mr. Bond, Chairman of the School Committee.
Song, America.

Wade School.
TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 27.

Part I.
Chorus, God is Our Refuge, Flemming
Invocation, Rev. C. W. Allen, Mozart
Chorus, My Psalm.
Salutatory, Ironetta E. Casack.
Chorus, Stars of the Summer Night. Woodbury
Valedictory, Tact, Push and Trickle.
Grace M. Brown.
Class Song, Graduates' Farewell. Veazie

Chorus, When up the Mountain Climbing.
Address, Hon. Albert L. Harwood.
Chorus, Those Evening Bells.
Award of Diplomas.
Mr. Lewis H. Bacon, Chairman of Wade District Committee.
Chorus, The Nation's Hymn of Praise. Veazie
Remarks, Wade District Committee.
Miss L. H. Murray, director of music; Miss M. M. Tooker, accompanist.

Mason School.
THURSDAY, JUNE 29, 7:30 P. M.

A Report, Walter D. Hannigan, Our Schools
Chorus, "Anvil Chorus," Our Class
An Introduction, Margaret E. Noyes, Our Class
Reading, "The Wide-Swing Gates," A. Gertrude O'Brien.
Flute, "The Georgia Camp-Meeting," P. Arthur Daniels.
Reading, "The Giant's Supper," Corning, Small.
Calisthenics, Boys.
Essay, "Tact or Common Sense," Robert Knell.
Mandolin, "Remdez-Vous Valse," Marguerite Mason.
Reading, "Failure and Success," Margaret V. Waters.
Reading, "The Bootblack," Walter Andrews.
Chorus, "Sweet and Low," "Samba's Heredity," Florence E. King.
Reading, "A Short, Sharp Shock," Irene Ayres.
Soprano chorus, "The Light from Heaven," "American Citizenship," Donald M. Houghton.
Calisthenics, Girls.
Corners, "Fantasie Brillante," Ralph M. McLeellan.
Reading, "Old Chums," Marguerite Mason.
Chorus, "Those Evening Bells," Essay, "Life is What We Make It," Frederic Eugene Bantlett, Jr.
Four Part Male Chorus, "Over the Bright Blue Sea," Presentation of Diplomas.
Mr. Avery L. Rand, Chairman District Committee.
Chorus, "America," Music under direction of Mr. Horace M. Walton.
Miss Catharine P. Walton, Accompanist.

Bigelow School.
THURSDAY, JUNE 29.

Devotional Exercises.
Hymn, God is our refuge, J. Damon Whittemore
The National Flag, Bertha St. John
A Plea for Enthusiasm, A. Elestine Springer
Music, Anvil Chorus, Earle H. Barber
The Crown's Prayer, Katherine Tucker
Music, In Mercy hear us, Harriet G. Reid
A Scene at The Natural Bridge, Alex. Macomber
Composition, "The Legend of St. Mark," Florence Ivy
The Signaling of the Declaration of Independence, "Whitcomb
Music, Heaven and the Earth Display.
Presentation of Diplomas by Daniel Dewey of the school board.
Speeches, F. H. Tucker and Alderman Weed.

Adams School.
THURSDAY, at 7 P. M.

Music, Motette, Rode
Declaration, Meaning of Four Centuries, Lawrence Ketherell
Music, Anvil Chorus, "Il Trovatore," Scott
Recitation, An Order for a Picture, Miss Nellie Terrell.
Music, Day in Its Splendor, A Group of Historic Trees, Nina Colton, Elsie
Misses Grace Chadwick, Nina Colton, Elsie
Gaudette, Agnes Croly, Susan Cabot.
Piano, "La Graciosa," Misses Roseworth, Eva Foster.
Composition, "Our Study of the Artists," Miss Marjorie Gibbs.
Music, O'er the Bright Blue Sea, Boys' Chorus.
Forum Scene From Julius Caesar, Wilbur McPherson, Anthony, Lawrence Montgomery
Citizens, Herbert Sparr, James Otis, William Cabot.
Music, Nation's Hymn of Praise, From "Norma," Chester Briggs.
Presentation of Diplomas.
Music, Day of Glory, Mr. Charles F. Avery, Bellini
Music, America, School and Audience.
*Excused

Cladin School.
THURSDAY MORNING at 9:30 A. M.

Chorus, Motette, Grades 9 and 8, Rode
Latin Story, The Wonderful Dream, Margaret Tapley
Cornet solo, The Holy City, Stephen Adams
Exercise, John Eliot, Edward H. Bailey
The Charles River, Marjorie S. Webster
Ellen Dyson, Blanche I. Gates, Lida Clark, Chas. P. Dixon.
Chorus of Girls, Merry Junes, Vincent Holmes
Recitation, The Ploughman, Charles M. Parker
Recitation, On Landing a Punch Bowl, Holmes
Recitation, Opportunity, Eleanor S. West
Violin solo, Gounod's March, F. Reichfeld
Robert W. French
Declaration, The Confederate Soldier, Grady
Ada B. Wells
Recitation, Graduation, Nellie A. Tancred
Declaration, The True Grandeur of Nations, Harold E. Flinn.
Chorus, Lovely Night, Ruth M. Hinds.
Piano solo, La Chateleine (Fantaisie), LeDuc
Exercise, some Definitions of Education, Erskine P. Noyes
Recitation, There Was an Old Woman, Mrs. Whitney
Miriam Kitchen Young
Essay, General Hull, Alice L. Abbott
Chorus in Unison, The Wind and the Sea, Marshall
The Class of 1899, Helen W. Page
Presentation of Diplomas, Mr. Charles F. Avery
Singing, America, Audience and School.

Questions Alderman White.

Newton, Mass., June 28th, 1899.
Hon. Thomas White,

Dear Sir—As a citizen of Newton, I take the liberty of publicly asking you a few questions involving your own interests as a public servant in the Board of Aldermen.

In a recent meeting of the Board, Mayor Wilson made a recommendation that during the months of July and August, laborers on city work be given a half holiday on Saturdays. If the local papers correctly report you, you immediately addressed the Board in the following words:

"It seems to me that this is drawing things a little too fine. Men who are anxious to get work and a raise of pay, all of which I am in favor, now want to work less hours than I have to do myself. I am not in favor of giving six days' pay for five days' work."

If you are not in favor of giving six days' pay for five days' work, why do you silently allow city hall employees to draw a full weekly salary, and enjoy a half holiday every Saturday in the year?

If you are in favor of six days' pay for five days' work, how can you conscientiously tolerate a condition of things which permits city employees to draw fifty-two weeks' pay for fifty weeks' work, as the police officers do, and as the city hall employees do?

You then delivered yourself of the following observation:

"I should like to know what the cost to the city would be by giving the laborers a half holiday? It looks to me like playing to the galleries."

Then let me ask you, sir, have you been "playing to galleries" when you have voted year after year to close the city hall, on Saturday afternoons throughout the year, and still allow the clerks and employees a full weekly salary?

Why are you willing to court the approbation of the galleries, why do you grieve to see others follow your good example?

Five minutes after you expressed a desire to know what "the cost to the city would be by giving the laborers a half holiday," and without finding out that cost would be, you said:

"I move as an amendment to this communication that we give the city laborers the amount of money that the city would lose if we were to grant them Saturday half holidays."

Now without making any question about the parliamentary possibility of amending a communication, what moral right had you to move that the city laborers give the amount of money the city would lose, if they were granted the Saturday half holiday, when you didn't know any more than "the man in the moon" what the amount would be?

Are you serving the citizens of Newton by thus blindly advocating the expenditure of money without knowing how much you are "giving away?"

Why are you willing to give these laborers an extra half-day's pay during the hot months rather than let them take a half-day off? Are you afraid that these men will not be worked hard enough while you remain in the Board of Aldermen?

If you are not in favor of six days' pay for five days' work, how could you in consequence move to give city laborers six and one half days' pay for six days' work? How do you think that sort of reasoning will appeal to the "galleries?"

Again you say: "I must say, this thing has been sprung on me rather suddenly. To me it looks like a political dodge."

Speaking of dodges, and dodgers. On this simple proposition to give city laborers four and one-half days' vacation in the several days of the year, you made six speeches. In the first speech you were not in favor of giving six days' pay for five days' work. In the second speech you wanted to know what the cost would be. Then in your next meditation, before you found out what the cost would be, you moved to pay it, whatever it was. Then you moved to refer the matter to a special committee, and named three members, every one of whom you knew was against the proposition. Then you expressed a desire to know how other cities use their laborers in this respect. You first opposed the plan, then you "inquired," and before you were answered, you favored the plan. Then you sought to put the matter in the hands of a hostile committee, and finally you wanted to know what other cities are doing in this respect, thus ending your labors, where you should have begun them, in search of information. Truly there is some dodging here.

If you desire to know what other cities are doing in this regard, it may interest you to know that on June 27th, 1899, the city of Lowell, with a larger corps of laborers, and a lower tax rate than we have in Newton, through its Board of Aldermen, unanimously gave their laborers a half-holiday on Saturdays during July and August.

If it is wrong for laboring men, who work more in an hour than you or I do in a day, to get four and one-half days' vacation in a year, you have not yet hit upon the grounds which prove its impropriety.

Respectfully yours,
DANIEL J. GALLAGHER,
251 Church street,
Newton, Mass.

NONANTUM.

—The Ladies Aid Society has discontinued regular meetings for the present.

—The Nonantum Industrial school will reopen July 10 for a term of six weeks.

—Mrs. Ella Turner of Bridge street has gone to Canada to spend a month with her parents.

—Miss Mary Cooke of Newtonville led the Y. P. S. C. E. last Sunday evening at the North church.

—There were very pretty and appropriate exercises at both the Eliot and Jackson schools in observance of the closing of the school term.

—Mr. Fred Feary of Bangor Theological Seminary is visiting friends in town. Mr. Feary has been very ill and his many friends will be glad to learn that he has recovered.

—Notices have been posted to the effect that there be no more swimming in the river. Chief of Police evidently considers the bath-house good enough for anybody and everybody.

—Mr. Theophilus Frye of Bridge street is moving into the old Bemis estate on the corner of Bridge and California streets.

—Mr. Albert How of East street will occupy the house which his father has lately vacated.

—The large gardens on Bridge street under the direction of the associated charities are looking excellent. They seem to have been hampered but little by the long dry spell and everything points toward a good crop.

High School Notes.

The class of 1899 claims 85 scholars, 59 in the classical course, 10 in the general course, 11 in the scientific and 15 in the commercial course. The members of the general and commercial course have for the most part finished their course of business training and do not intend to continue their courses in higher institutions of learning.

Of the members of the scientific course, Avery, Berry, Davis, Farnham, Ferris, Fox, Tolman, Willey and Wood will go to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, while Howes goes to Lawrence Scientific school and Palmer to Dartmouth.

If the classical course Leonard, Seaver and Clark will attend Harvard, Misses Adams, Crowley and Sullivan, Radcliffe, Misses Kirk and Abbott, Boston University, Cobb, Dartmouth, Greene, Amherst, Miss Millard, Vassar, Miss Gates, Framingham Normal school, Miss Wise, Wellesley, Miss Proctor, Mt. Holyoke, and Miss Carter, Smith, making a total of 27 who are to continue their course.

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Norumbega Park.

Great preparations have been made for the celebration of the 4th of July at Norumbega Park. The many varied attractions which were already added to celebrate any holiday, have been added to for this special day. St. Augustine's Band of 32 pieces will alternate in band concerts with the Talma Ladies' Military Band from ten in the morning until ten at night. These concerts, with the afternoon and evening performance in the rustic theatre, and the electric fountain playing in the evening, will make the entertainment for that day continuous from the time of opening the Park until the closing. In the evening there will be a grand illumination and a very fountain for its new illumination, will be seen in its original prismatic splendor, somewhat in the nature of wet fireworks.

The change of attraction in the rustic theatre for the coming week, commencing with Monday afternoon's regular performance, is known as J. V. Gorman's Olympia. This organization of unique comedy entertainers includes such well known vaudeville artists as the Adelphi Duo, character vocalists: Rice Brothers, the original Chinaman and farmer in their comely horizontal bar act; L. E. Morgan, tenor vocalist in popular ballads; Mlle. Etta Victoria, the daring Aerial artist on the flying rings; S. F. Curry, comely and descriptive vocalist, introducing original songs composed by himself; and Wainstanley and Sullivan, in an original dancing composition.

Have you tried the new electric ride to Marine Park and Fort Independence from the Newtons. Take the cars of the Newton and Boston Street Railway at any point from Needham to Watertown and change at Watertown Square for Harvard Square, Cambridge. At this point get a transfer from the starter and ride this on the South Boston cars from Harvard Square to Marine Park direct.

At Marine Park cross to Fort Independence over the wide pier extending into the dividing water that separates the Point from Castle Island.

The car fares that cost but ten cents and twenty cents for the round trip makes a very small cost for such an afternoon. There are so many places of interest all the way and the views across and around the harbor are so many and so fine that there is constant enjoyment all the time.

On Sunday afternoons there is a fine band concert provided by the City of Boston.

Fort Independence.

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